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Polish Church fears attack

Poland's Roman Catholic Church is frightened that the martial law authorities are planning a full-scale attack on planning a threat planning in Archbishop Jozef Glemphopes to meet General Wojciech Jaruzelski in an attempt to defuse the tension Page 4

Call to censure Holmes a'Court

The Takeover Panel has been asked by Mr Gerald Ronson, chief of Heron Corporation, to censure Mr Robert Helmes a'Court publicly for an alleged breach of the Takeover Code with the "secret." purchase of almost one million non-voring shares of Associated Communications Corporation Page 11

London crime increasing

Figures to be published this week are likely to show that serious crime in London has increased considerably. It is understood that there were about 56 crimes every hour in the Metropolitast police area last year.

Guatemalans go to the pous

Guatemelan guerriffas scored a propaganda coup by securing the publication of their manifesto in all local newspapers, as a condition for the release of a kidnagged journalist, as the remains went to the polls.

TUC may expel actors' union

Equity, the actors' union, may be expelled from the TUC because it has applied to the Government for reimbursement of money spent on postage and or motey spens on postage and stationery during secret elec-tions. The TUC is expected to confirm soon a policy ordering unions not to seek public funds for ballots Page 2

Amateur rider killed in fall

Britain in June. He has been invited to address a joint session in Westminster Hall as a mark of the profound respect that Mrs Margaret Thatcher's Government has for him.

The only foreign head of state accorded such an honour before was President Charles de Gaulle of France who spoke there in 1960 and urged the John Thorne, the amateur rider, was killed in a point topoint fall at Mollington on Sat-urday. Mr. Thorne rode his horse Spartan Missile into sec-oud place behind Aldaniti in last year's Grand National

Yorkshire peace team chosen

Yorkshire County Cricket Club appointed a three-man com-mittee to try to restore har-mony between Geoff Boycott and Ray Illingworth. The committee members include Freddie Trueman, the former England fast bowler Page 15

Marking time

The European security review conference resumes in Madrid today, but the session will tech-nically be Friday's because delegates could not then agree on a timetable of meetings for this week Page 3

Leader page, 9 Letters: On the Budger and industry, from Sir Ian Gilmour, and others; Arab oil embargo, from Sir John Wilton. Leading articles: Trident ; Complaints against doctors

Features, pages 6, 8 The true cost of the Trident; where politicions and judges must not disagree; how Greece is going under Mr Papandreou. An eve of budget assessment of Sir Geoffrey Howe.

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Left threatens to set up power base to rival TUC

By Paul Routledge, Labour Editor

An internal power struggle on the TUC General Council threatens to produce a breakaway centre of left-wing trade giant Transport and General Workers' Union

TGWU leaders campaigning against fundamental changes in the way the labour movement's decision making body is elected are conducting secret talks with militant union leaders who stand to lose their seats on the general council if the reforms are forced through. If they fail to halt the automatic granting of seats to all unions wih 160,000 or more members, the transport workers are understood to be

workers are understood to be trying to establish a second centre of power to rival a perpetual right wing majority on the general council.

It would involve a form of federation embracing unions such as the train drivers, firemen, musicians, film technicians seamen and others that fear disfranchisement through the new system. The changes envisage giving 38 changes envisage giving 38 seats to the 25 largely-moderate big battalions and as few as seven seats to the remaining 85 small-and middle-

maining unions:
Mr Larry Smith, executive officer of the TGWU, last night acknowledged that the transport workers were attempting to prevent implementation of last year's Blackpool Congress decision to introduce automatic seats for the top 25 unions.

"We are pressing for the status quo", he said. Asked what the union would do if it failed to halt the momentum towards a permanently moder-

towards a permanently moderate TUC leadership, be added:
"Then we shall have to reexamine our tactics and
strategy as a result."
However, in the first round
of private talks with leaders of
the small unions the TCWII of private talks with leaders of the small unions, the TGWU made clear its intention to circumvent the tactics of its political opponents, chiefly the engineering workers, by offer-ing an umbrella of continuing influence through a working tarrangement or federation with left winners who could lose

at a meeting of the TUC's inner cabinet, its financial and general purposes commit-tee, on March 22. Further con-tacts among the policy rebels are expected before then.

Reagan will

Parliament

From Michael Hamlyn Santa Barbara, March 7

Mr Ronald Reagan will be come the first American President to address both Houses of Parliament when he visits Britain in June. He has been

there in 1960 and urged the

destruction of all nuclear weapons in order to rid the world of the fear of sudden

address

The topic came up informally at the sixtieth anniversay cele brations of the TGWU at Transport House last week, when it was made plain that the transport workers expect two union leaders, Mr William Maddox of the agers and bleachers and Mr Jack Boddy of the agricultural workers, to retain their general council positions even though their unions have merged with

the transport workers. A confidential policy paper prepared by Mr Len Murray and Congress House staff puts forward two main models for implementing last year's de-cision to abandon the historic trade group structure for gen-eral council elections.

Model A would produce a 37member general council, with only seven seats for the mingiving six unions not now repre-sented an automatic place at the table: the bank union (BIFU), the clerks' union (Apex), the post office engineers (POEU), the schoolmasters/women teachers (NAS/ UWT), the print union (NGA), and the executive civil servants (SCPS). The local Government workers (Nalgo) would get two extra seats, and the TGWU, the engineers and public employees (Nana) one extra The ployees (Nupe) one extra. The miners and the construction workers (Ucatt) would both lose a seat.

The document says there are serious drawbacks to this scheme, and proposes Model B, which would carry automatic representation even further than congress decreed. Under various formulations suggested the general council could be increased in size to 47, but there would still only be seven or nine seats for the smaller unions.

Mr Alan Sapper, chairman of the TUC and as film tech-nicians leader one of those threatened with loss of his seat, said vesterday. "These proposals, however they are formulated, undoubtedly are of

ing an umbrella of continuing influence, through a warking influence, through a warking influence, through a warking influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when we want maximum influence through a divisive nature at the very time when when we want maximum influence through a division influence through a division influence through a division influence through a division in to affiliated unions. After the views of the whole movement have been sought, "definitive proposals" will be put to the September congress

Sir Geoffrey Howe's fourth

and probably last Budget, to be

presented at Westminster to-

morrow, is expected to be

mildly reflationary in contrast

to the severity of his measures

He is confidently expected

to raise income tax thresholds and allowances by 12 per cent, to compensate for inflation during 1981, but to do nothing

in real terms for the personal

Those who have urged him

to go further and restore some of the allowance for inflation

which he denied taxpayers a

which he defined rachayers a year ago have received no encouragement from the Chancellor. Indeed, half the cost of allowing for last year's infla-

tion—about £2,000m—he is ex-

pected to recover by raising duties on drink, tobacco and petrol, also by 12 per cent.

This would put two pence on the price of a pint of beer, seven pence on 20 cigarettes, and ninepence on a gallon of perrol. It would add a penny in the nound on the cost of

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The only real help the Chan

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Free speech and the law





Mr Martin Webster, national activities organizer of the National Front, speaking at a London rally yesterday, and one of the hundreds of policemen on duty. There were two arrests.

More directors to leave BA board

By Philip Robinson and Janathan Davis

tive directors will leave Brit-ish Airways after the abrupt departure last Thursday of Mr Roger Moss, for eight years finance director and a member of the arounds of the group's executive management board.

He has been put on one month's leave of absence pending a negotiated settlement over his departure. The sudden boardroom shakeup of the nationalized

carrier which is set to line 200m this year, follows hard on the completion of a 500-page report on the airline by Waterhouse, City accountants.

accountants.

The report, which is understood to be critical of BA's financial management is cloaked in secrecy. Only a handful of copies are available and all are on leave of absence by Sir John King, BA chairman, just 24 hours before the main board saw the study.

Sir John is due to discuss its contents this week with the executive board of management of which Mr Moss was a member, and it will tuen be sent to the Government.

Sir John said last night: "It

Chancellor will pace inflation, but

charge it to the drinks account

By Julian Haviland, Political Editor

At least three other execu- is unfortunate that this fellow's departure coincides with this report. I don't think there will be a number of senior depar-tures. There might be one or

two".

Mr Moss, who it is understood has not been named in the report, said: "I did not have the opportunity to study the report myself".

Sir Johnn commissioned the Price Waterhouse study last autumn as a part of a planned programme which would result in a large part of the airline being sold to the public under the Government's privatization plans.

As part of that plan, Sir John was looking for a financial director to join the main board, which has already seen

reflationary effect of the fall in oil prices and a further fall ru interest rates which the City

expects. They will look keenly to see if the economic forecasts to be published with the Budget indicate a further fall

in inflation over the next year.

in inflation over the next year.

Reports yesterday of a "massive rise" for members of the Royal Family appear to be wide of the mark. Details of the Civil List published with the Budget will show that the sum for meeting public expenses of the Queen and and other members of the Royal Family, which was set at £4,335,000, one year ago is to be increased by several percentage points below the rate of inflation.

of inflation.

France may supply reactor to Israel

From Christopher Walker, Jerusalem, March 7

ernments are to begin explora-tory talks on a suggestion that, France should supply Israel with a nuclear reactor for generating electricity.

This possibility has emerged as one of the most controver-sial results of last week's state visit by President Mitterrand and four of his ministers.

A senior Israeli official said today that the talks would take place initially at a diplo-matic level, but might later be transferred to the Joint Commission on Economic and Technological Cooperation, which s due to resume discussions in Paris next month, after a lapse of more than 10 years.

Questioned about the type of Questioned about the type of nuclear reactor mentioned during last week's private discussion in Jerusalem, the official emphasized: "It would be purely for the production of low-cost energy by Israel. As far as we are concerned, this will be considered a technological and commercial ven-

Inevitably, the mention of revived nuclear cooperation—
even at such a preliminary
stage — will stir memories in
the Arab world of the key role
played by France in the late
1950s, in helping Israel to
achieve a nuclear weapons
capacity which is widely recognized internationally, but has
never been acknowledged by
any Israeli Government. revived nuclear cooperation-

never been acknowledged by any Israeli Government.
French technical expertise was largely responsible for the construction of Israel's first nuclear reactor, which is situated under heavy guard and conditions of the strictest secrecy near the development. the Commons, that any good news tomorrow will raise a cheer. theer.

The party is almost desperate if not for immediate good news at least for some assurance that economic recovery is in prospect, and that sometoing will be done to start to bring unemployment down before the next election. Confidence that Sir Geoffrey has any such plan remains low.

MPs pin their hopes on the reflationary effect of the fall

The French and Israeli gov- town of Dimona in the Negev

operating in Israel, as an essennew one. Asked whether France was adopting a similar attitude, the Israeli official would only say that "the French seem to be more flexible on that issue".

Foreign Minister, spoke optimistically about the outcome of M Mitterrand's visit. He pre-dicted that it would create a precedent which was likely to ers and their policies.

ers and their policies.

The session was held in the absence of Mr Menachem Begin, the Prime Minister, who is still recuperating after falling ill with "accumulated fatigue" at a presidential banquet last Thursday, Initially, the Prime Minister's spokesman had said that Mr Begin would be back working in his office today, but now it is thought that he will return to a normal schedule later in the week.

It is understood that the Israelis have held talks with the Americans about the provision of a new reactor for generating electricity, but these

were terminated after the American Government insisted on supervising all nuclear plants tial condition for supplying a

He emphasized that there was no question of Israel changing its policy, and agreeing to sign the Nuclear Non-proliferation Treaty as a condition of any new deal with the French about the provision of a reactor.

At today's Cabinet meeting. Mr Yitzhak Shamir, the Israeli influence other European lead-

Sunshine Sunday at the Barbican By Kenneth Gosling

Price twenty pence

The peace of a normal Sunday in the City of London was shattered yesterday by the arrival of hundreds of cars which packed the square mile in quest of the capital's latest and greatest toutist attraction and greatest tourist attraction
—the Barbican Arts Centre.

"After this", a press officer said, picking his way carefully between the rapt ranks of children watching a Punch and Judy show. "no one can call us inaccessible." A few strays, however, still found their way to the Barbican's offices where extra staff were brought in to deal with non-stop telephone bookings-one every 30 sec-

The centre was opened four days ago by the Queen and is already firmly on the tourist

map. Out on the terraces, in bright Out on the terraces, in bright sunshine, people sat around the fountains and fed the resident flock of ducks with scraps from the hard-pressed cafeteria. Brightly-coloured umbrellas had been raised rather carlier in the year than intended.

intended.

The tramp, tramp of sight-The tramp, tramp of sight-seers' feet went on non-stop throughout the day, many people having arrived shortly after breakfast. Inside the centre the carnets were begin-ning to get slightly grubby as smokers failed to find ach travs and children spilled drinks.

drinks.

In the office, at one of the computer terminals taking bookings for April and May.

Mr Angus Watson, publicity manager, caught up with telephone calls and estimated that he had taken £2,000-worth of bookings, mostly for the London Symphony Orchestra which now has its base at the centre, drinks.

don Symphony Orchestra which
now has its base at the centre,
in the three hours between
12.30 and 3.30 pm.
First-day covers were selling
as fast as cafeteria cakes and
badges reading "I found the
Barbican Centre" went even
faster. One man was walking
round showing badge-wearers
a piece of paper that said
"Why, where did you lose
it?"
Officials estimated that

Officials estimated that 20,000 people visited the centre on Seturday and probably 30,000 yesterday.

Khomeini broadcast after talk of death

By Our Foreign Staff Ayatoliah Khomeini was re-

ported to have received a group of Iranian football play ers at his residence in north Tehran yesterday and to have urged them to spread the Islamic revolution. His speech, broadcast by

Tehran radio and monitored in Beirut, apparently gave the lie to rumours that the revolutionary leader was seriously ill, or dead, after his office had said he was cancelling all engage-ments for two weeks. Exiles in London who heard

the broadcast said the voice was the ayatollah's and that it Arab reactions, page 4 | was a fresh recording.

Hillhead key to future of Jenkins

From Jonathan Wills

Mr Roy Jenkins's political future and, in particular, his chances of becoming the Social Democrats' leader, will depend on the Hillhead by-election result. Mr Jenkins has assured local Liberals that he will fight the Glasgow seat at the general election whether or not he wins there on March 25.

Mr Charles Brodie, who stood down as Liberal candidate, said yesterday that as far as the Liberals were concerned, Mr Jenkins would be fighting.

This undertaking will pre-vent Mr Jenkins from standing Abour 70 per cent of the Civil List allowance is spent on wages and salaries of employees of the Royal households. Last year the staff received rices in line with

Jenkins campaign, page 3

world of the lead of annihilation. Mr Michael Deaver, Mr Reagan's deputy Chief of Staff said the President had been very flattered by the invitation. He also disclosed that Mr Reagan would become the first United States President since Woodrow Wilson to stav at Windsor Castle, where he will be the guest of the Queen for the nights of June 7 and 8. Mr Larry Speakes, the White House spokesman, said that the invitation to address Parliament "comes at a most important time for the European alliance. It is an honour to cellor is expected to give will be to industry. However the Confederation of British Industhe price of oil had diminished Sir Geoffrey's room for man-oeuvre, succeeded so well in ocuvre, succeeded so well in holds. Last year the staff depressing expectation among received rises in line with the Government's supporters in Government guidelines. try, which pressed for a 2 per alliance." It is an honour to cent cut in the National Insurance Surcharge—at a cost of about £2,300m in a full year, appear in such an historic setting at a critical stage in East-West relations." Natal merger with black homeland sought

Sir Geoffrey Howe enjoy-

ing a beer yesterday at pre-Budget prices.

-now expect a cut of no more

last month, in which she siressed that the decline in

The Prime Minister's speech

than half that size.

The merger of Natal, one of South Africa's four white-run provinces, with the black tribal homeland of KwaZulu to form a new multi-ratial regional administration is the challenging indeed in the challenging, indeed in the South African context revolutionary, central recommenda-tion of the report of the Buthelezi Commission due to

be released in Durban on The proposals of the Commission which, if adopted, would drive a coach and horses africa's ruling National Party which led last week to the exthrough the existing apartheid structure are a highly ingeniprer the issue of power haring between whites, Coloureds (mixed race) and structure are a highly ingeni-ous attempt to show how uni-versal franchise for both black-and white South Africans could be combined with a degree of constitutional pro-tection for whites and other Indians in a central Parlia-

churchmen under the chairmanship of Professor George Schreiner, Vice Principal of the University of Naral.

The appearance of its report, awaited for some months, coincides with a crisis in South

more than 50 members include prominent black and white politicians, academics, businessmen, industrialists and chusebran under the chair of the cal ideas set forth in the Commission's report, though these go far beyond even the most liberal reforms being discussed in the National Farty. For example, the controver-sial "power-sharing" concept offers no say in central gov-ernment to blacks—more than 70 per cent of South Africa's total population - whose political needs are deemed to have been met by the sering up of KwaZulu and the other tribal

homelands or Bantustans, an approach which the Commission considers bankrupt.

From Michael Horrsby, Johannesburg, March 7 The Commission was set up the South African Prime Minis and impatience among blacks a guerrilla war most or many law 1980 under the aegis of ter, is arguably better placed and a greater readiness among blacks would extend sympathy or active cooperation to insurched of KwaZulu and its cal ideas set forth in the Committed by the Government to gents of the banned African mission's report, though these more than 50 members include The survey of black attitudes

both in KwaZulu and Natal and in the Wirwatersrand area where many Zulus work, suggests that while seven to eight out of every 10 reject the tribal homeland concept, six to seven out of 10 (rather less in the Transvaal but still a majority) would support a merger of KwaZulu and Natal on a multiracial basis.

An overwhelming majority of blacks questioned also ex-pressed political anger or dis-Que of the most interesting content and predicted violence repeats of its report is the and wicespread social unrest findings of a series of surveys if meaningful reform did not not and Government of black and white opinion occur in the near future. A Having shed his recalcitrant of black and white opinion occur in the near future. A which show a growing anger mojority further said that in Having sued his recalculated of block and growing anger, mojority further said that in light wing, Mr Pieter Botha, which show a growing anger, mojority further said that in

majority among whites (and a rather larger majority among Coloureds and Indians) for giving blacks a share in decision-making in a common area formed by the merging of Kwa-Zulu and Natal, Whites showed concern about the integration of schools but were prepared by a big majority to see residential areas thrown open to

all races. The report envisages the setring up of an executive for the merged Natal KwaZulu area on which, at any rate for a transitional period, the various ethnic groups would be equally represented.





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Hanging in the balance: A hang glider taking off from Dunstable Downs yesterday against the background of the London Gliding Club. Adherents of the two sports, despite their similarities, are at loggerheads. Owners of hang gliders find Totternhoe Pastures, which are owned by Bedfordshire County Council, a good place from which to launch themselves, but for the

London Gliding Club, which has been using the airfield for 50 years, the hang gliders represent an uncontrolled danger as they compete for the same air space. The club feels that a fatal collision is probable rather than possible. After inconclusive legal action against three hang glider pilots, the county council is to take the matter to the Civil Aviation Authority

NEWS IN **SUMMARY**

High budget pledge by new leader

The new left-wing Labour leader of Merseyside County Council said after his election yesterday that the county budget for the coming year would be well above the Government limit of £140m (Our Liverpool correspondent writes).
Mr Keva Coomes, aged 32.

replaces Mr James Stuart-Cole, who resigned as council leader last year when he could not get the Labour group to agree to a more moderate budget of £157m. Tonight Mr Coomes, a solicitor, will chair the goup meeting which will decide the budget recommendation to be put to the county council tomorrow. Left-wing mem-bers are pressing for a £169m budget, which would lead to Government financial penal-

At yesterday's group meeting Mr John Duncan col-lapsed and died. He rep-resented the Newton-le-Wil-lows ward at St Helens.

New coxswain at Penlee

Mr Kenneth Thomas, aged 32, was named yesterday as the new coxwain of the Penlee lifeboat, at Mouse-hole, in Cornwall (Craig Seton writes). He succeeds Mr Trevelyan Richards, who died with his seven crew in December when the lifeboat the Solomon Browne sank off Land's End.

Mr Thomas, who is mar-ried with five children, has been a fisherman for 17 years. He has not served with undergo training before taking charge of the Guy and Clare Hunter, the replace-ment vessel at Mousehole.

Dr Denis Leslie, chairman of the Penlee Lifeboat Committee, said last night that Mr Thomas fulfilled all the necessary criteria to make a whom others would unhesi-tatingly serve.

More women at Oxford

The number of women entering Oxford University in October will be a record for the third successive year lighted in (Our Oxford Correspondent February writes). Places have been offered to 1,109 women and 1,731 men, out of the 7,539 applicants. Last year 1,739 men and 1,097 women were Chancellor's department with

Maintained schools provided 1,404 of the new students; independent schools 1,325 and other schools 111.

Children in care 'had to go home'

Mr Gilbert Hodgkinson the Wolverhampton social services chief, yesterday defended the decision of his department to let five children in care go back to Mrs
Carmita Saul, their mother,
in Belize in Central America,
where one of them, it was
reported yesterday, is now
forced to live with young criminals in a reformatory (Our Wolverhampton Correspondent writes).
"They were most disturbed

nd they wanted to go home their mother", he said.

wh children had been in pastary care and if either had them had. partary care and in back, prov. wanted them back, favoud conditions were had to le, the department urn them.

Chemets seek more cas

Chemists want he Government to pay them more for their expert knowedge as well as for dispensin medicines. The Pharma utical Services Negotiating committee decided at its ainual conference in London yearday to press the Government for an extra allowance to cover advice given on minor explain the printing unions have broken down. The society had offered an increase of 8 per cent, amounting to £6.50 a week on basic rates and the cover advice given on minor explain the printing unions have broken down. The society had offered an increase of 8 per cent, amounting to £6.50 a week on basic rates and the cover advice given on minor explain talks fail

Negotiations for a new national agreement between the Newspaper Society and offered an increase of 8 per cent, amounting to £6.50 a week on basic rates and the cover advice given on minor illnesses.

TUC may expel Equity in ballot cash dispute

elections and policy refer-under the new labour reform endums.

Mr Alan Sapper, chairman affiliates expelled at the 1973.

of the TUC and general congress, but it was allowed secretary of ACTT, the cine back when the Industrial technicians' union, said yes repealed terday that the decision was repealed the secretary of ACTT, the cine back when the Industrial than it was a decade ago, and the secretary that the decision was repealed to the terms of the secretary that the decision was repealed to the 1973 running even higher today than it was a decade ago, and the secretary that there was a real risk of expulsion. Equity's place in dangerous and damaging because the labour movement council of Equity voted by a was trying to put on a united clear, "but not massive," was trying to put on a united front against further union law changes proposed by Mr Norman Tebbit, Secretary of

Norman Tebbit, Secretary of State for Employment.

"I think Equity will have to recognize that they will face being disciplined", he said. The TUC is expected to confirm soon a hard-line policy stating that affiliates "shall not seek or accept public funds for union ballots". Mr Len Murray, the TUC general secretary, has said that unions breaching the boycott face disciplining or service of the long political battle within Equity between moderates such as Mr Nigel Davenport and Mr Marius Goring, and left-wingers, including Trostkyists such as said that unions breaching the boycott face disciplining or service of the long political battle within Equity between moderates such as Mr Nigel Davenport and Mr Marius organizer, says: "A programme of mounting industrial protest against the Tebbit Bill will be essential to defeat it".

INJUSTICE

CLAIM OVER

LEGAL AID

By-Frances Gibb

of cutting criminal legal aid

that in

In one case a married

couple living on supplemen-tary benefit had to represent

themselves after being refused legal aid three times,

This latest disclosure co-incides with a letter from

disparities between courts in refusing legal aid, high-lighted in the group's February bulletin, are

conduct a survey later this

year to determine why the disparities exist. Mr Hansen

The group is pressing for

an amendment to the Legal Aid Bill now going through Parliament, which would give defendants a statutory right of appeal against a refusal of

legal aid. Either courts are wrongly

refusing legal aid on a large scale, in which case a right of

remove serious individual anomalies", he said.

anomalies", he said.

According to the group's bulletin, Government figures show that between March and June, 1981, Waltham Forest magistrates increased the percentage of legal aid refusals from 5 to 23 percent. By the end of the year they were running at 23.6 percent. The rise in refusals, it says, coincides with a circular from the Lord Chancellor's Department asking courts to tighten up on

courts to tighten up on permitting legal aid.

figures in Chancellor's

three months.

the bulletin says.

The Government's policy

the Lord

department

The first breach of the under congress rule 13, Mr Peter Plouviez, the trade unions' boycott of state which provides for suspenfunds for secret ballots to sion and expulsion.

understood to have opposed funds for secret ballots to elect their leaders may bring about the expulsion from the TUC for several years in the TUC of Equity, the 28,000-member actors' union. Equity has applied to the Government for money available under the Employment Act, 1980, for reimbursement for money spent on postage and stationery in internal elections and policy referendums.

sion and expulsion.

Equity was banished from strongly the application, which could technically put the early 1970's. Ironically, it Equity's membership at risk was for defying TUC policy on state registration, in order to defend its rigorous closed the TUC and loses the protection of the TUC's Bridlington agreement, which would now be exambled from the true and loses the protection of the TUC's Bridlington agreement, which would now be exampled in the remaining the protection of the TUC's and loses the protection of the TUC's Bridlington agreement, which would now be exampled from the true and loses the protection of the TUC's and loses the protection

> ruling 60-member majority, to apply to the Certification Officer for reimbursement of £10,000 of

understood to have opposed

However, passions over legislation on the unions is running even higher today than it was a decade ago, and expulsion. Equity's place in the Confederation of Enter-tainment Unions would then have to be reviewed.

Mr Sidney Weighell, gen-eral secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen, called at the weekend for a "united

Catering staff to join porters' strike at Bart's

By a staff reporter

A strike by porters at St Bartholomew's Hospital, in Smithfield, London, was in-tensified over the weekend is creating serious injustices and even illegalities in some magistrates' courts the Legal Action Group of lawyers and today members of the National Union of Public The group says in its Employeees on the catering March bulletin, published staff are to join their union colleagues on the picket line. unpublished A picket by porters at the hospital was prepared to turn away ambulances, but yestershow one magistrates' court, Waltham Forest, to have increased its rate of refusing day no ambulances presented themselves. A patient needing a transfer to another hospital had to travel by taxi. legal aid by 400 per cent over The porters, all of whom work shifts providing 24-hour cover, are in dispute over new work rosters which were due to be implemented last Monday.

Mr Anthony Mowan, the hospital administrator, said that about twenty-five shift Lord Hailsham of St Maryle-bone, the Lord Chancellor, in which he concedes that porters had gone on strike, but six had agreed to work the new arrangements. Despite almost two years of negotiations, the management could not agree new rosters with the porters, he

Mr Dennis Renton, a spokesman for the striking porters, said: "Our intention is not to endanger life

Mr Renton, who has worusparities exist. Mr Hansen said yesterday: "We are worried that this is just a move to allay public concero". ked as a shift porter at the hospital for 14 years, said the hospital management had tried to alter their hours against the wishes of the shift porters. "We asked to go through the national disputes procedure, which means going to an independent tribunal. This was first agreed by the hospital and agreed by the hospital and then rejected.

appeal is urgently needed, or it is only happening in a few courts, in which case it will not cost very much but will



Mr Mowan is to meet the NUPE stand: A picket on shop stewards concerned duty outside St Bartholo-

90% for lead-free petrol

By a staff reporter

Overwhelming public sup- ing of the campaign on port for a ban on lead in January 25 the number of petrol even if it means higher MPs who have signed in its petrol even it it means higher petrol prices is indicated by a MORI opinion poll published yesterday. The poll, conducted for CLEAR, the campaign for lead-free air, shows that nine out of 10 people in Britain believe lead in petrol is a health hazard and want it hauned.

Dr Robin Russell Jones, deputy chairman of the campaign, said yesterday that the results demolished one of the last remaining arguments used by the Government against a ban, that motorists would not be prepared to pay the extra cost, he said.

The poll, which disclosed that only 6 per cent supported the Government's yesterday tabled Commons view that a ban was unnecessary, provides ammunition for the campaign.

There, we may take the said.

Mr Gwilym Roberts, the plosions in England and with possessing explosive substances with intent to endanger life or cause serious injury to property in England in 1978 and 1979.

support has risen by 40 to more than 170, of whom about 30 are Conservatives. The Labour Party is committed to phasing out lead in

Dr Russell Jones said that Or Russell Jones said that the campaign's next task was to persuade that body of medical opinion which was still sceptical about its claims although the British Medical Association had said that lead generally was a health bazard generally was a health hazard and should be eliminated. While there is still opposition there, we have a fight on our hands", he said.

From Richard Ford Belfast

The struggle between Ireland's two main political parties for enough independent support to form the next government is likely to continue until shortly before the Dail votes at Leinster

A fight to

the finish

in Ireland

A series of crucial meet-ings will be held in Dublin today to determine whether Dr Garret FitzGerald, the outgiong Prime Minister, or Mr Charles Haughey, the Opposition leader, will form the republic's next minority government.

Mr Haughey, leader of Fianna Fail, with 81 deputies, needs the support of two independents to secure a majority. Mr Neill Blaney, a former Fianna Fail member, is almost certain to vote for his old colleague, so Mr Haughey has been concen-trating his efforts on Mr Tony Gregory, Independent Community MP for Dublin

Dr FitzGerald, with 63 Fine Gael deputies, needs the support of the Labour Party and the fove left-wing inde-pendents. He is understood to have offered changes in his budget strategy, omnitting the measures which removed subsidies on milk and butter and put VAT on

clothing and footwear.

The Labour Party's parliamentary party and its administrative council meet tonight to decide whether to form another coalition with Fine

The seven sought-after independents are: Mr Kemmy, aged 45; independent socialist MP for Limerick East, a former stonemason, He was a Labour party member from 1963 to 1972 member from 1963 to 1972, and founded the Limerick socialist newspaper. He won the seat in 1981 after contest-

ing it since 1973.

Mr Joe Sherlock, aged 48;
SFWP MP for Cork East. He
won the seat in 1981 after contesting it since 1973. Married with three children, he left school at 14 and is a for mer official of the Irish Transport and General Workers Union. Proinsias de Rossa, aged 42; SFWP MP for Dublin North

West, joined old Sinn Fein party and was interned between 1957 and 1959. Patrick Gallagher, aged 36; SFWP MP for Waterford, the seat he took from the chairman of Fianna Fail. Married with two children, he is a newspaper proof reader. He has been a member of Waterford Cor-

poration since 1974 and won his parliamentary seat at the third attempt. Mr Tony Gregory, aged 34:Independent Community MP for Dublin Central, a history and French teacher educated at University College, Dublin. As a former member of Official Sinn Fein, he helped the late Seamus Costello in campaigns. He is a Dublin city councillor and supported the H-block hunger strikers. Mr Neil Blaney, aged 59 Mr Neil Blaney, aged 59; Independent Fianna Fail MP for Donegal North East, and a member of the European Purliament. He was expelled from Fianna Fail in 1971 after serving in Mr Jack Lynch's government, from which he was dismissed, with Mr Haughey in 1970.

British section of Amnesty International, are waiting to see what happens next before they commit themselves to Mr Haughey, in 1970.
Dr John O'Connell, the Speaker, aged 52; Independent MP for Dublin South further support.
The section's medical group yesterday supported Mr James Nichol, London Central, who was a Labour Party member from 1965 until his expulsion in 1981. A friend of Mr Haughey. regional representative, who resigned on Friday, saying, "I do not believe that I have fully understood all that has

Tuite charged with causing explosions

 Gerard Tuite, who has been sought by Scotland Yard for the last 15 months, made legal history on Satur day when he was charged in Dublin with crimes allegedly committed in Britain (Our Dublin Correspondent writes). Mr Tuite was charged in

Caravan school for two after caning

from the local primary school over allegations that the headmaster caned pupils for trivial offences.

trivial offences.

The mother of Hannah Wadge, aged 11, alleged yesterday that her daughter had been caned for whispering in class at the Altarnun Primary School, near Launceston, even though Mr Steven Griffiths, the headmaster, had been told that the was an enileptic.

In their children from the school and letting her educate them.

She said 32 parents had signed a letter asking for Mr Griffiths to be removed, but without success. The two children she was teaching came to her five days a week, she said.

Mrs Wadge, aged 11, alleged yesterolar that her daughter had been caned for whispering ing their children from the school and letting her educate them.

she was an epileptic.
Cornwall County Council has referred the allegation of excessive caning to an education subcommittee for investigation. Mr Norman Barr, the deputy chief education officer, said yesterday that the school's governors had twice considered the matter but had reported that they were satisfied with the way the school was run. Other parents had expressed their support for Mr Griffiths.

The Society of Teachers Opposed to Physical Punishment (STOPP) has published a highly critical report on Mr Griffiths's methods and has asked Sir Keith Joseph, the Secretary of State for Education, to order an inquiry into the running of the school, which has 80 pupils.

Hannah Wadge and another former pupil, Jayne Burford, aged nine, a farmer's daughter, are now being taught at the home of Mrs. Christine Herries, aged 35, who was a teacher at the school on a temporary con-

against Mr Griffiths.

Two Cornish children are charging for the education of receiving lessons in a caravan the two children in a caravan at the home of a teacher after in the garden of her remote their parents withdrew them bungalow on the edge of bungalow on the edge of Bodmin Moor, says that the parents of another half-dozen pupils are considering removing their children from the school and letting her edu-

Mrs Wadge, said: "I wish I had moved Hannah a long time ago. She used to make up excuses so that she did not have to go to school but now she is a happy child, no longer frightened, and is happy to learn."

Mr Griffiths, the head at Altarnun for 14 years, re-fused to comment and referred calls to the education authority.

□ Educationists opposed to corporal punishment are urging Sir Keith Joseph to bring forward emergency legislation outlawing the cane and tawse (a Staff Reporter writes).

STOPP in a letter to Sir Keith published today asks him to, take action before other parents follow the example of the mother who recently won damages from the Government in a case in

the Government in a case in the European Court of Human Rights. STOPP also complained that Mr Rhodes Boyson, Under-Secretary of State for Education, had supported tract. She said her contract Education, had supported was not renewed by the beating and condemned education authority after she STOPP while being the had supported allegations minister responsible for circumstants of Conference of the Conference gainst Mr Griffiths. cularizing local education
Mrs Herries who is not authorities on such matters.

shows that it takes more than a hot, dry summer or a dropped cigarette end to explain their spread. The mountain pine beetle, which spreads fungus to trees while its grubs burrow into the bark, may be partly to blame it settles on trees the blame; it settles on trees too old to produce the resin that inhibits the spread of In suitable conditions an epidemic of beetles can produce a litter of broken

Science report

Beetle may

be fire

raiser in

forests By Hugh Clayton Research into forest fires shows that it takes more

twigs and bark on the ground. Such litter provides excellent fuel for fires, which are more likely to damage old trees than the younger specimens producing the resin.
"In regions where pine depends on fire for natural

regeneration, biological mechanisms exist which will ensure that this will occur", Mr E. D. Ford, a research worker at the Institute of Terrestial Ecology, Penicuik, Lothian, writes in Scottish Forestry. He believes that the destruction of large areas of forest by wind and fire is not "the result of a single destructive agent in iso-

He believes that the growth in vulnerability of large groups of trees all planted at the same time will need to be studied by forest managers.
The growing dependency

of industry on timber from densely packed plantations rather than wild forest has stimulated research into the threat from wind and fire to forest areas in which the trees are all of the same type and age.

Mr Ford suggests that efforts to make sitks spruce in Britain less likely to be blown down in high winds may have made the trees more vulnerable. Artificial drainage has been applied to upland soils to prevent a cycle of winter waterlog-ging and summer droughts, which make the tree rosts

There is evidence that the deeply ploughed furrows used on some soils to help drainage may prevent the roots from spreading. "The cause of the catastrophe is not straightforward", Mr Ford writes. "The attempt to modify one contributing cause, that of waterlogging, through intensive drainage has introduced a new problem of restricted root spread."

Soutish Forestry, vol 36, no 1 (Royal Scottish Forestry Society, 18 Abercromby Place, Edinburgh, EH3 6LB £6).

Seven helpers hurt Seven people were serious-ly injured yesterday when they were struck by a car while pushing a broken-down van in heavy rain at Kidling-ton, Oxfordshire.

At least 56 crimes an hour in London

A pattern of rising crime crime figures for last year squad, 300 officers now on the streets of London is represents a continuation of stationed to guard Parliament a trend that began in 1980 and other demands in the week when the Metropolitan and covers a year which saw policing of Britain's capital Police release serious crime figures for last year. Returns for the first nine months

already indicate rises in most

January and September last year, in each hour of the day than 31,000.

there were 22 crimes involving cars, 16 burglaries, 15 argued that the police are thefts, at least two incidents stretched in fighting street crime in London as well as such as maintaining specialist duties such as the diplomatic patrol the auti-terrorist

Witch-hunt

fear at .

Amnesty.

By a staff Reporter

Members of the medical profession, concerned about the circumstances of the

appointment and subsequent resignation of Mr Jeremy Thorpe as director of the

the group, fears that the support of the medical pro-

support of the medical pro-fession will wane
She was referring to a report that a council mem-ber, Mr Sayaed Shah, was seeking support for an emergency meeting next Saturday to press for the resignation of Mr Roget Briottet, the section's chair.

By Stewart Tendler, Crime Reporter

street disorder in Brixton, city. Southall and Wood Green. The only consolation for Scotland Yard is that this Categories of crime. month they will have reached
The total number of their full complement of serious crimes recorded in 26,600 officers and the fig1980 was 584,137, while the ures may provide an opporfigure for the first nine tunity to urge the Home months of 1981 was 459,274. Office once again to increase That means that between London's complement to a January and September last more realistic figure of more

The likely increase in the group, the anti-terrorist London.

In the first nine months of last year, assault cases totalled 12,320, compared with a 1980 total to 16,139, including homicide. Cases of robbery and violent theft came to 13,519 between January and September, against 13,984 for the previous year.

The figures include mug-ging, and L district, which covers Brixton, accounted for 1,772 cases of robbery and violent theft in the first nine months, giving the district the highest figures in

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Space shuttle to keep Kent comet research

By Pearce Wright, Science Editor

Canterbury.

The flight is being called the Pathfinder Mission because it will test the shuttle's usefulness for fundamental science.

regional representative, who resigned on Friday, saying, "I do not believe that I have fully understood all that has happened or that has failed to happen".

They fear that any further witch-hunting may damage Amnesty's reputation irreparably in Britain.

The group has about 300 members in this country, as well as claiming considerable support abroad, and Miss Elizabeth Gordon, a consultant surgeon and chairman of the group, fears that the support of the medical prospace sciences and astron-bmy at the Jodrell Bank radio telescope observatory of Manchester University.

The investigation is known formally as the microabrasion foil experiment, MPE.
Measurements of the num

The American space shut- about the evolution of the The American space shuttle Columbia will carry equipment for basic scientific
research in orbit for the first
time on its third test flight,
due to begin on March 22.
The payload of nine experiments includes a project
designed at Kent University,
Canterbury.

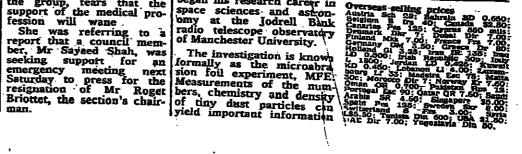
about the evolution of the
solar system and its planets.

In particular, these particles are expected to increase
understanding of the origins
of comets and asteroids.

These are formed in different parts of the solar system,
and it is assumed that they and it is assumed that they are composed of different

By knowledge of the processes that might have for-med these objects is still rudimentary and analyses of comets' low density material will always be deficient if studies rely on Earth-based

The MFE is constructed of aluminium foil sheets bonded by a palstic film. They are exposed to space during flight and examined after landing. Very light particles cannot penetrate the foil, but will form a hypervelocity impact creater on the surface.



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Research by Professor In the latest talks with John Swales, of the depart- Orion Sir Freddie has inment of medicine at lerester cluded proposals for several University and other states. University, and other teams types of new airline ranging in Britain and the United from the charter operation to States. States have shown that keeping the trans-atlantic kidney damage from hyper- Skytrain routes which linked tension can be reported if the kidney damage from hyper-Skytrain routes which interested in the Garwich and Manchester tension can be reversed if the Garwich and Manchester diagnosis is made quickly arrorts with New York, Los ingeles and Florida.



The Jenkins coffee morning shuttle

From Jonathan Wills, Glasgow

"I was paying membership in an envelope, it just goes in though the "outsider" label dues to be humiliated by the bin": troubles him.

young wet-behind the ears So up to 50 volunteers a Above all, Mr lenkins is young, wet-behind-the-ears. So up to 50 volunteers a left-wingers", the SDP helper night have been door-step-with the felt-tip pens and the ping and distributing leaflets. Street map of Glasgow said. Mr lenkins has been up street map of Glasgow said. street map of Glasgow said. Mr Jepkins has been up had to make the sacrifice of Similar sentiments can be and down the pink sandstone standing down, they have heard from many other staircases of the constitute reacted in a real alliance Labour Party defectors wear ency's endless streets spirit."

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The SNP will make much

Most rises in water

bills below inflation

Roy Jenkins's campaign.

The organization is in wind, but it has not stopped pressive, despite an unpression him working 12 hours a day, possessing headquarters. The building is a vandalized passenger trains would come former school boarded up in back", he says nervously on a derelict street that looks arrival at Glasgow airport as two after the Red Army reverse thrust.

True to the spirit of that his campaign could community politics, leaflets suffer from reverse thrust are sent out by hand; the too. Mr. Jenkins does not alliance has not used the free agree. He also dismisses post available for its election Conservative claims that his man says: "Freepost just of overspending and he says means you have to spend all the Scottish nationalists may that money on envelopes, have wasted their "carpet-There is no propaganda value baggers" ammunition, al-

Most water authorities in England have kept increases in household bills for water

and sewerage in 1982-83 in

single percentage figures. Bills in the south of England

and in the Midlands counties

covered by the Severn-Trent

authority will rise by less than the likely rate of

But charges will increase by more than 18 per cent in Wales and by more than 15

per cent in the Northumbrian

water authority's area. The highest average charges in England and Wales will be paid, as usual, by house-holders who live in the Midlands and East Anglian counties supplied by the Anglian Water authority. Average household bills there

will be £86.60 for the year compared with just under £60

in the North-West authority

lower than they might have been because authorities such as that in the North

from the sale of some of their considerable portfolio of housing and land.

Water authority staffing has decreased. Recent fig-

TEST COULD

CUT KIDNEY

FAILURE

By Frances Gibb

The several thousand

deaths a year that occur in Britain from kidney failure could be reduced if family

doctors regularly tested patients blood pressure, a

which lead to death, the

report says. Between six and eight million people have blood pressure high enough to shorten their life expec-

tancy, but most are unaware

If family doctors took

regular blood pressure read-

ings, many more cases of hypertension would be

est have reduced their cash balances. Others, such as Thames, have gained income

Water bills for 1982-83 are

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ddress. The former Labour campaign may be in danger

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High water charges in Wales are being blamed by

the Government on inef

ficiency and by the leaders of

Plaid Cymru on concealed subsidies to English water consumers. Mr Dafydd Wig-

ley, the nationalist party's leader, last week threatened a

campaign of civil dis

obedience unless the Weish water authority substantially

increased charges to Severn Trent for Welsh water

The apparent success of the English authorities in

of the authorities are necess-

ary to increase their cost effectiveness.

staff during 1981. The Nor- announce a decrease in their tories, a subsidiary of Nor-thumbrian and South West size and in the number of authorities lost more than 5 local council representatives and American company.

NEW LAKER

PLAN SOON

Sir Freddie Laker is ex-

pected to break his month-long silence shortly and to

indicate his plans to set up a

However it could be next

year before a scheduled service across the North

Mr Christopher Chataway, former MP and vice chair-

man of the Orion Royal Bank

of Canada, said yesterday that he had had several

discussions with Sir Freddie

during the last three weeks and had studied various

proposals. Orion has also had

tripartite talks with the

"It is much too soon to say

attempted a rescue operation.

Lour ho Group

new airline.

ney Research Fund published yesterday states.

High blood pressure, or bypertension, accounts for between 20 and 25 per cent, of the cases of kidney failure throughout Britain, some of which lead a scheduled service a scheduled Atlantic goes into operation, although a smaller European charter business is in prospect for the end of May if the Civil Aviation Authority gives in approval.

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He projects himself as delighted with the local Liberals. "Given that they had to make the sacrifice of

of Mr Jenkins's support for Nato and the EEC, and local issues such as education and unemployment are likely to matter most. . Speaking at Glasgow Uni-

versity, he condemned the Michael Foot when heard cuts in university spending through a defective public as foolish and perverse and address system.

said that falling school rolls

The polls show Mr Jenkins should be taken advantage of to maintain or even improve educational standards, within overali economies. He was against assisted

places in private schools but defended private education, while saying most pupils were in public sector schools and that was where the real debate was.

No warning

of 'risk' in

By Our Medical

Correspondent

A cream known as Furacin ointment is being sold with-out a safety warning in Britain for the treatment of

burns, although it was re

In the March edition of the

against bacterial infections in

Norwich Eaton Pharmacenti-

cals, the manufactuers volun-

teered to include the follow-

use on minor injuries, are

showed no similar findings,

said that there had been no

warning before last Wednes-

United States.

ointment

pleasant, sensible man who looks at each issue on its merits, searching for the middle way between "arid middle way between "arid monetarism" and "unfet-tered industrial muscle". He speaks at coffee mornings and house meetings groups of 20 or 30 people.

On public platforms well repared speeches are delivered with monotonous misplaced emphasis every three or four seconds givin an effect rather like M

neck and neck with the Tory and Labour candidates. Is he optimistic? "I never predict the results of elections", he

General election: T. G. D. Galbraith (C) 12,368, R. A. Mowbray (Lab) 10,366, M. Harris (L) 4,349, G. Borthwick (Scots Nat): 3,050. Conservative majority: 2,002.

NEWS IN **SUMMARY**

Perils of haggis on the brain

accused of being timid, negative and apologetic about their country. Restaurants and public houses have ported last April that it might be implicated in the deaths of unattractive exteriors, head atients in the takers and the people give Monthly Index of Medical Specialities (Mims), the doctors' guide book to pharmathey live only on haggis, according to Mr Alan Devereux, chairman of the Scottish Tourist Board.

ceutical drugs, the ointment is recommended for use He told an international food and wine festival at St wounds, burns, ulcers and skin graft donor sites, with instructions for it to be Andrews, Fife, that for centuries Scots had believed they were fighting the Eng-lish, but most of the time they were fighting them-selves and indulging in "collective head-banging in applied as required, There is no note of caution. Serious kidney complications contributing to the deaths of patients may have

been caused by its use in the burns unit of Virginia Unimutual self-criticism.
Mr Devereux said: "Inversity, Dr Benjamin Stur-gill, Professor of Pathology in the university, told the International Congress of coming visitors are surprised not to find Colonel McSaunders Haggis Carryouts on keeping charges down is in the university, told the unikely to dissuade ministers from the view that every street corner. The product is right, but the marketing is wrong." Investing in tourism, page 13

of the authorities are necessary to increase their cost effectiveness. They expect within weeks to receive final comments on the authorities are necessary to increase their cost effectiveness. They expect within weeks to receive final comments on the comments on the comments of the c Threat to block Pope's route tres from the Department of to receive final comments on the Environment show that a Green Paper on the glycol is a highly soluble all the English water authorities structure and are alcohol. Furacin is marketed

Militant Protestants Liverpool are demanding that Pope John Paul's British visit in May should be cancelled

and are planning a protest campaign.

The city's Orange Lodge says it will block roads to prevent the Pope reaching the city's Anglican cathedral workers reported their find-ings to the Food and Drug Administration in April, 1981. In October, as a result of that report and additional animal studies carried out by Norwich Eaton Pharmacents. the city's Anglican cathedral. Members are angry about the proposed service there because they are barred from visiting the cathedral.

By-pass route 'a shocker'

teered to include the following warning in each pack:
Warning, October 1981. Furacin soluble dressing should not be used in cases with known or suspected renal impairment. The polyethylene glycol in the base can be absorbed through the skin and may not be excreted normally by the compromised kidney. This may lead to symptoms of progressive renal impairment, such as increased BUN anion and metabolic acidosis! A proposed road to by-pass Brighton, which would run through the South Downs is an environmental shocker, the director of the Council for the Protection of Rural England says today. The by-pass, planned by the Depart-ment of Transport, revealed a Compared with the United sorry lack of long-term States sales in Britain are low Most larger burns units planning and is a nightmare prefer other dressings, often to everybody concerned with the protection of the downs, Mr Robin Grove-White says. these with an antibiotic impregnated gauze. Eaton Laboratories' figures show that 14,000 small tubes, for A public inquiry is to be held in Brighton tomorrow.

Two die in disco

sold annually.

Animal tests have shown that polyethylene glycol can be absorbed through denuded Two teenagers died and third was seriously injured in a fire at a private disco party Norwich Eaton have said that clinical data on humans collected by their labora-tories over the last decade on the upper floor of a furniture restoring factory in Tower Street, Rye, East Sussex, on Saturday night. Between twenty and thirty youngsters were at the party and firemen were on the scene for four hours.

however.

Although Eaton Laboratories said they planned to issue a warning to doctors in Britain by inserting it into the packages, the Department of Health and Social Security Three die in crash Two brothers and a sister died when their car went out of control and crashed on the communication about that M8 motorway near Glasgow airport yesterday.

Communists try to bring down Lisbon Coalition

From Richard Wigg, Madrid, March 7

Government this weekend represents the only force Dr Mario Soares, the had to withstand more com- capable of offering the counmunist organized protests try stability. munist organized protests try stability.
intended to bring it down.

But this

weapon could not be regar-Government's resignation. ded as "a sovereign right". The marches coincided with Coming to the aid of the the sixty-first birthday of Dr Government of Senor Fran-Alvaro Cunhal, the Communication cisco Pinto Balsemao, the nist Party leader. church leaders condemned The Communists can the politically inspired wave obtain support from the of strikes organized in recent working class easily enough

Union is blamed for

of M Rene Lucet, the absenteeism, managing director of the bureaucracy

National Health Fund of the practices.

her resignation, for a govern-fiddled ment statement on the affair, accounts.

and for an investigation by

The minister had sus-

the Senate.

country, has blown up into a

serious political controversy.

Moderate trade unions and

the opposition say he was hounded to death by the vindictiveness of the CGT

union organization and its

parent Communist Party, on

civil servant's suicide

From Charles Hargrove, Paris, March 7

The suicide last Thursday fund, which was afflicted by

In spite of having defeated vote underlined the Prime constitution by April 25, the a censure motion in Parita-Minister's claim that his eighth anniversary of the ment, Portugal's continuous right of centre Government armed forces' revolution.

But this did not prevent The Portuguese bishop's thousands of workers from conference, in a pastoral marching through Lisbon letter read out today, told and Oporto yesterday while workers that the strike their leaders called for the

weeks by the communist-led for demands to end the right-wing figures in the weeks by the communist-led for demands to end the right-wing figures in the weeks by the communist-led for demands to end the right-wing figures in the confidence of the Labour.

A hundred and thirty MPs increases. But the Commubelonging to the Democratic nists' offensive, which began Alliance coalition voted on

Alliance coalition voted on on a national scale with the Friday against a Socialist no February 12 general strike, is confidence motion which really intended to prevent the mustered only 116 votes. The proclamation of a reformed

He was successful.

your decision

the CFGT trade union mem-bers among his 3,500 em-

expense

censure motion, condemned the Communist tactics as only leading up a blind alley. But he expressed unease that Portugal's mounting economic difficulties and the resulting social frustration might lead to a breakdown of democratic institutions.

The Prime Minister's victory in the parliamentary vote masks discontent with his leadership felt by more

threatened to take 300 River Tagus pilots, who struck for three days last week, to court they go ahead with their threat to start an indefinite strike on Tuesday.

Time stands still in Madrid

From Our Own Correspondent Madrid, March 7

The European security Bouches du Rhone depart- He was successful, but ment, the largest in the antagonized the CGT and also review conference tomorrow will formally resume plenary session begun on Friday. Although the meeting session begun on ployees. When the Socialists was adjourned came to power last May, a vigorous campaign for his break" in the early hours of yesterday, the session will technically still be that of removal was launched.

M Lucet's methods were March 5.

not above criticism. The The conference has been whom he had declared war social affairs inspectorate within his administration.

They also claim that Mine had investigated them last year and found, for instance, that entertainment and travel ter for National Solidarity, expenses charged to the fund gave in to their pressure for had grown 33-fold between his removal, on the grounds 1978 and 1981. Its report to defend forced absurdity because neither East nor West could agree on a timetable for this week. Delegates are even further away from agreeing on an adjournment until the autumn when events in Poland may have improved of financial irregularities in emphasized the hiring of four the management of the fund.

There have been calls for his bodyguard, who allegedly and permit the 35-nation conference to agree a final document of the Madrid M Lucet, in his reply to the meeting which began in the autumn of 1980. he Senate. minister's letter suspending
It is not known why him, said that "since my

The need for concensus has dogged the entire Madrid

M Lucet, who was 38, shot general management of the himself. He was, by all fund is beyond reproach, you accounts, a controversial have to use futile pretexts for The clock had to be stopped on Friday to prolong the session because the 35 The Opposition and moderpended him eight days before ate trade unions are saying on grounds of the irregularities, described as incom- witch hunt started by the delegations could not agree on adjourning for more than a so-called coffee break. The Czechoslovak chair

larities, described as incompatible with his position in Government with the support
the public service and of his of the CGT and CFGT".

aggressively Gaullist, antiCommunist stand. Young,
brilliant, and forthright, he was appointed by the previous government to shake up the Bouches du Rhone Questiaux. man will continue to preside when the meeting resumes at 11am tomorrow, although the post is supposed to rotate betweeen delegations every

trial From Adam Edwards Newport, Rhode Isla March 7

Von Bulow

shows

strain of

His Savile Row suit is still intact, but Claus von Bulow's face is beginning to show the strain of the trial that has stripped his family of all the

trappings of privacy. For 40 days the former London barrister has sat silently next to his expensive lawyers, chain smoking during recesses, as the state of Rhode Island attempts to prove he tried to kill his extremely wealthy wife Martha "Sunny" von Bulow with insulin injections. He, without testifying, has tried to show reasonable doubt in

that argument. The defence case concluded on Friday, a tight, neatly oiled defence, that gave the local jury an insight into the high society in this Atlantic resort.

The local newspapers de The local newspapers described Mrs John Nicholas Brown, aged 76, as the grande dame of Rhode Island. In chiffon and a classic blue suit she handed her handbag to John Sheehan, the defence lawyer, before marching to the witness stand to help her good friend Claus you Bulow. The Pope Claus von Bulow. The Pope could not have been a better character witness in this predominantly Irish Catholic town.

One of the world's leading financiers, Mr Mark Millard, and one of the country's best known art dealers, Mr Eugene Thaw, testified that Mr von Bulow did not need his wife's riches which, in her irreversible coma that he accused of causing, she will never again enjoy.

A former ballerina and private dance teacher to Mrs von Bulow, Joy O'Neill, told the court how her pupil planned to inject herself with insulin. A psychiatrist said Mrs von Bulow told him she wished she was dead.

At 6 am the first spectators begin a chilly queue for their place in the small court. Two peroxide blondes in matching minks dressed and made up for the television camera, are regulars. So is a woman who was rejected as a juror.

Pope for Fatima

Rome. — The Pope will visit Portugal for three days in May, during which he will pray at the shrine of Fatima on May 13, the first anniversary of the attempt on his



TRY TELLING HIM BRITAIN CAN AFFORD TO LOSE A £1-BILLION

Exports mean jobs. And one of the biggest customers for British exports is South Africa which buys Made in Britain to the tune of £1-billion each year.

In addition, Britain benefits from about £15billion of invisible earnings from the Republic.

All this is possible because South Africa has a stable economy and is committed to a policy of prosperity for all.

For example, within 3 years Black consumer spending will outstrip that of the White community. This means the outlook for exports of

British products is even more promising.

So who stands to gain if those people who want to create instability in South Africa have their way? Not South Africans (Black or White) who enjoy an ever-rising standard of living.

Certainly not the British who would lose a vital overseas market, especially during a major world recession.

The winners would be those dedicated political extremists who well understand that their cause advances through the instability they deliberately foment

Further information can be obtained from The Director of Information, South African Embassy. South Africa House, London WC2N 5DP.

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Poles fear Church will be next in firing line

Church is frightened that the martial law authorities are planning a full scale attack on it, a fear that is reinforced by the sentencing and investi-

by the sentencing and investigation of two priests in the
past few days.

Archbishop Jozef Glemp,
the primate, is seeking a
meeting with General
Wojciech Jaruzelski, Prime
Minister and party leader, to
diffuse the tension and to
consider ways in which a
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carried out.

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vides relief for internees and
the relatives of those who
have been dismissed Solidarity members.

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Haig stays

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From Nicholas Ashford

Wasbington, March 7

The United States and

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Mexican initiative.

can peace plan.

Mr Haig pointed out that the Mexican plan failed to address the "essential and primary elements" of Nicara-

guan backing for the left-

wing insurgents in El Salva-dor, and he asked Mr Castaneda to add Nicaraguan non-intervention to the Mexi-

Mr Castaneda agreed that the question of foreign armaments in El Salvador

was important but said it had

to be settled in a wider

context, in a system of trade-off between the United States

and countries such as Cuba and Nicaragua.

The Mexican view is that

the civil war in El Salvador is

only one element of a general

crisis in Central America and cannot be resolved in iso-lation. Mr Castaneda did not

say what American con-cessions would be expected from such a trade off except

that American military res-traint and an end to "verbal

terrorism" would be among

The main elements of

President Lopez Portillo's peace initiative are a nego-tiated settlement for El

tiated settlement for El Salvador, a non-aggression

pact between the United States and Nicaragua and

discussions between the United States and Cuba. Cuba

and Nicaragua have wel-comed the Mexican plan but

the Reagan Administration has been non-committal.

However, the United States has made it clear it is

opposed to a negotiated settlement in El Salvador, fearing this would foreshadow a left-wing takeover. Instead, the United States is backing the elections which are due to be held on March

☐ San Salvador: El Salvador this weekend extended for a

these elections.

AFP report). Meanwhile

Poland's Roman Catholic crackdown, for it shows down crucifixes from schools hurch is frightened that the there is no immunity for and factories and sharply words expressed in church. A criticizing priests.

military court sentenced him to three and a half years, and senior clergy met govern-ment officials at the weekend

diffuse the tension and to consider ways in which a compromise can be found on the formation of a new union movement.

The Government has renewed talks with Mr Lech Walesa, the interned Solidarity leader, and with medium-level Solidarity activists. Mr Mieczyslaw Rakowski, the Deputy Prime Minister is due to hold talks with Mr Walesa this week after returning to make these cases a cause célèbre and Archbishop Glemp was expected to play it down in a sermon today. Sharp Church criticism of the sentencing might provoke a full propaganda blast from the Government and encourage local party zealots to attack the clergy. The Primate has consistently warned priests not to become the found on the formation of a new union movement.

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to hold talks with Mr Walesa this week after returning from Havana and, according to well informed sources, has already had one round of discussions with him.

Church sources in Cracow see two main threats to the Church position: first, the Government is trying to drive a wedge between priests and the underground movement; second, hardliners in regional party headquarters are trying to end Christian warned priests not to become involved in underground activities.

The focus of church activity in the provinces has been to intervene directly to help internees and their relatives, a vital function that could be banned by the martial law authorities should they unleash an anti-church campaign.

Cardinal Franciszek Macharski of Cracow 10 days ago established a committee

system. which, using voluntary do-The first threat has led to nations and Western assist-

The arrest and sentencing said to have been reassured of one priest from Koszalin by General Jaruzelski that for slandering General Jarunothing would happen — but zelski in a sermon is the most party zealots in Katowice lease Mr W concrete sign of an imminent near by have been ripping ceremony.

A course in Christian religion at the University of Slaski, Near Katowice, has been closed and the 125 students — it was one of the ment officials at the weekend to discuss the implications of the sentence. Another priest is said by the Government to have hidden the gun that killed a milita sergeant in a tram in Warsaw recently.

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Decrease 12 and 20 priests

Between 12 and 20 priests have been interned during martial law, although most of them were released — after intervention by local bishops — within days of weeks. In the Cracow and Katowice areas two priests were in terned: the Dominican monk Father Jan Kloczowski, and Father Stanislaw Gebua of Czestochow.

Fears of a crackdown have cast shadows over two events of great symbolic import-ance. First, it is now possible that the Pope will postpone this visit to Poland, sched-uled for August. The new possible date is in October, to mark the canonization of a Pole who displayed particular courage in the concentration

The second is the christening of Mr Walesa's child, Marie Victoria, originally due to be held today in Gdansk. Mrs Danuta Welesa, contracted from Warsaw, now says that the ceremony may take place on March 21. Mr Walesa's priest, Father Henryk Jankowski is even vaguer saying that it will only take place when the Govenment is prepared temporarilly to release Mr Walesa to attend the ceremony.

Nazi image

From Patricia Clough
Bonn, March 7
Fears that the never-ending stream of war films, books and comics is perpetuating anti-German feeling in Britain have been allayed by a survey conducted for the West German Embassy on London.

It showed that only 12 per

cent of young Britons imagined Germans were real-

ly like the sadistic SS, the

evil Nazis, dimwitted camp guards or brutal soldies of

the war films. The survey, conducted by the Mori opinion research firm, was of 500 young people aged between 15 and 20. Seventy-

four per cent rejected the

suggestion that war films showed Germans as they

really were. Another 45 per cent denied that their age-group was influenced by

reminders of the war although 39 per cent dis-agreed. Almost half thought

that young Germans had very different attitudes from their

parents and another 41 per cent thought too many war

films were being shown on

Their view of Germans was

far more strongly influenced by television news and docu-

mentaries about modern Germany and by what they learnt in school than by war

A large majority — 64 per cent — said they had friendly

feelings towards West Ger-

mans and only 8 per cent felt ill-disposed to them. Of the latter, two thirds cited sup-

posed faults of present-day Germans: arrogance, rude

Bombay. — Textile mills in

Bombay remained closed for

the fortyninth day as more than 250,000 workers stayed

on strike in support of demands for higher pay,

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Guatemalans go to poll

From Paul Ellman, Guatemala City, March 7

In the shadow of increasing appear clean enough to allow political violence, Guatema- President Reagan to present lans today voted in elections Congress in Washington with that could either mark a first step towards a peaceful resolution of the country's. promlems or plunge it into a fresh, and even more pro-

The elections have been Mexico are in agreement branded a "farce" by guerabout the urgency of the rillas fighting the present regime and the 48 hours conflict in El Salvador; but they disagree over the issue of Nicaraguan aid to the El which preceded the vote were marked by a series of guerrilla attacks in the capi-

Salvador insurgents.

This was established in two and a half hours of talks in New York yesterday between Mr Alexander Haig, the Secretary of State and Me Secretary of State Mr Alexander Haig, the Secretary of State, and Mr Jorge Castaneda, the Mexican newspapers as a condition for the release of a kid-Foreign Minister. The two napped local journalist. men are to have a further The manifesto was s

The manifesto was signed by the Guatemalan Labour meeting in a week.

Most of the meeeting was party, which is one of four devoted to consideration of the Central American peace initiative which President malan National Revolutioninitiative which President malan National R. Jose Lopez Portillo of Mexico ary Union (UNRG).

announced last month but which so far has been largely Despite the continuing violence, polling in Guatemaignored by the United States. la City this morning appeared relatively brisk, although voter turnouts in the past Mr Haig said after yeaterday's talks that he had not rejected anything out of sign that the Reagan Admin-istration (under pressure from Congress ond some of its allies) has decided to give serious consideration to the

Apart from choosing radicate the guerrillas among four presidential Rome: The pope today candidates, voters were also called for an end to fighting Guatemala and for "a

mayors of principal towns. hoping that today's poll will Earle writes.

a request to resume military

and economic aid.

American aid to Guatemala ended in 1977 when the Guatemalan Administration refused to bow to demands by President Carter that it halt violations of human rights. Since then violence has increased sharply, par-ticularly against civilians who lately have been dying at a rate of almost 250 a month, allegedly at the hands of the Army and of "death squads" which, according to a recent report by Amnesty International, operate out of an annexe to the presidential

None of the four candidates seeking office in today's election has offered to negotiate with the guer-

The principal contender is still regarded as General Angel Anibal Guevara, a former Defence Minister who is backed by the Army.
However, partly because of
United States pressure to
give the elections an appearrejected anything out of hand, which was taken as a sign that the Reagan Administration (under pressure rural areas.

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stable and secure peace, in freedom and justice for the Although Guatemala has a freedom and justice for the long tradition of electoral advantage of all in that fraud, the United States is tormented country". John



ests in the Gulf.

By contrast, the Saudis gave their cautions approval to President Mitterrand's visit "if it leads to a just and

brave European stand" on the Arab-Israeli conflict.

Saudi Arabia's state radio observed that M Mitterrand

had outshone M Valery Giscard d'Estaing in his support for the Palestinian cause. "If the positive in-

From Robert Fisk, Beirut, March 7

President unprecedented state visit to Israel was greeted with something less than enthusi-asm by Arab leaders. They have variously interpreted the French leader's trip as a demonstration of support for Israeli policies, and as a calculated insult to the Arab cause in the Middle East.

The Syrian press claimed that the President's visit heralded "a new era of negative relations with the Arabs", and amounted to

negative relations with the Arabs", and amounted to French approval of Israel's annexation of Golan.

In Kuwait, the state-run newspaper Al Qabas announced that M Mitterrand had chosen to be "an enemy of the Arabs", and that his visit would "wipe out the fruits of the 25-year friendship between France and the ship between France and the Arabs".

Arabs."

These angry views, however, reflected irritation rather than fury on the part of Arab states, which have usually valued French mediation in the region, and which — especially in Syria's case — have strong Francophile sentiments. phile sentiments.
In Jordan, and in most of

the Gulf countries, Arab leaders preferred to remain silent. They are presumably anxious to discover just what leverage President Mitter-rand may have obtained over the Palestinian question.

The Palestine Liberation Organization adopted the same public attitude towards M Mitterrand's visit as it once did towards Egypt's If there appears to be the French Government rapprochement with Israel: it confusion among the Arabs aligned itself with Israel.

Mitterrand's state visit to greeted with than enthusileaders. They interpreted der's trip as a of support for a nad as a lt to the Arab lt the EEC's Venice Declaration, which called for the Middle East peace process claimed sident's visit suggested that, if the French French visit to Israel, this only emphasizes Arab frustration at what they regard as European political weakness in the Middle East.

that the EEC's Venice Declaration, which called for Declaration, which called for the PLO to be associated with the Middle East peace pro-cess, has been largely disre-garded by the Europeans, and that the initiative once proposed by Lord Carrington as EEC President has now been quietly forgotten. PLO's Political Department, suggested that, if the French really wished to improve Franco-Arab relations, they should invite Mr Yassir Arafat, the PLO Chairman, for an official visit to Paris. Only in Kuwait, which traditionally adopts a vocal, if rather too fashionable, anti-Western attitude, was Arab opinion expressed in an immoderate manner. Al Qabas urged other Arab states to take "concerted action" against French interests in the Gulf. been quietly forgotten.

Paris: President Mitterrand's own verdict on his visit coincides with that of French political circles, the press, and the man in the street, save where they are blinded by passion and preju-

that the effect of the three days he spent in Israel will be perciptible there and in the Arab states only in the medium and long term.

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y cause. "If the positive in terpretation given to Mitter-rand's trip is authentic", the radio said, "and if this leads to new and courageous European action, then the Arabs — all the Arabs — would welcome his visit to is that it is the arability and long term.

Inevitably he did not go as far as the Arabs and the PLO would have wished, and he went further than the Israelis liked. He thus deliberately ran the risk of displeasing both. But the feeling in Paris would welcome his visit to is that it would be a gross Israel". If there appears to be the French Government has

equipment from Sinai From Moshe Brilliant, Tel Aviv, March 7

Israelis remove farm

deadline for the evacuation of Sinai the Israelis today began removing the infrastructure from the prosperous desert farms they had created during their occu-

Professor Ranan Weitz, head of the Zionist organizations settlement department, who was put in charge of the operation, said the Israelis will salvage sophisticated electronic equipment, modern packing houses and more than 100 acres of hot houses here valuable crops have been grown for European

Ealier attempts to remove the equipment had been thwarted by militants opposed to the withdrawal who had squatted in farms where the work was to have been done and threatened violent resistance. Mr Ariel Sharon,

IRAQ AND US

ACCUSED OF

SABOTAGE

Damascus, March 7. — President Assad of Syria was carried through the streets of Damascus on the shoulders

Seven weeks before the the Defence Minister. had earlier refused to order troops against the militants but toughened his stand against the squatters last week and on Friday promised the dismantling teams full! military protection.

Equipment was removed today without opposition from Dikla, the settlement nearest the international border. The teams will go to Talmei Yosef tomorrow and will move steadily deeper into Sinai. The equipment was transferred to new settle-ments in Negev and the Gaza

The Yamit area in Sinai was relatively relaxed today on the eve of the Purim Feast and it was thought the army will not press in with the campaign to evict trouble-makers until after the hol-

BAGHDAD PEACE MISSION

Beirut, March 7. - An Islamic peace mission arrived in Baghdad today as part of a new round of diplomatic efforts to try to end the Iran-Iraq war, now in its eighteenth

month.

The official Iraqi news agency said the five-member delegation led by President Ahmed Sekou Toure of Guinen was greeted on arrival by President Saddam Hussain of Iraq. The agency said the delegation would have talks with Iraqi officials before returning to Jiddah to report to a peace committee of the 40-member Islamic Conference Organization.

In Riyadh, Crown Prince

Five killers await their fate

Cairo, March 7. — President Mubarak, of Egypt, has begun the task of deciding the fate of Anwar Sadat's assissins. After a trial lasting more than three months, a military tribunal yesterday sentenced five defendants to death for their part in the assassination during a mili-

tary parade last October. Seventeen others were sent to jail for periods of between five years and life. President Mubarak, Supreme Commander of the Armed Forces, now has 30 days in which to ratify the death sentences, commute

them or order a retrial. Egypt's state-supervised press today expressed approval of the sentences, a view which was shared by many Egyptians interviewed in the streets of Cairo. The semi-official newspaper 44 in the streets of Cairo. The semi-official newspaper, Al-Ahram, quoted a verse from the Koran reading: "An eye for and eye and a tooth for a tooth and a life for a life".

In a frontpage editorial, newspaper, Al-Akhbar said: "October 6 will remain in our "October 6 will remain in our history as a . . day of sadness when a group of terrorists used their bullets in an attempt to impose chaos by toppling the rule of justice". Of the sentences, it said: "We hope that (they) . . will serve notice on those who may be contemplating other acts of terrorism".

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Many Egyptians interviewed by Reuters considered the death sentences fair. "It is up to President Mubarak now to show his people that terrorism is unacceptable in Egypt by approving the sentences", a shookeener said. hopkeeper said. Those under sentence of

report to a peace committee of the 40-member Islamic Conference Organization.

In Riyadh, Crown Prince Fahd held a meeting with Mr Yassir Arafat, chairman of the Palestine Liberation Organization, and one of the nine members of the organization's peace committee, the Saudi press agency reported.

— Reuter.

Those under sentence of death are four members of the "death squad", led by Lieutenant Khaled Ahmed Shawki Islambouli, which mounted the attack on the reviewing stand where President Sadat and seven other people were shot. The fifth, Mr Muhammad Abdel-Salam Farag, was the man who supplied the ammunition.

Front because, he said, there was "something radically wrong" with the party of UDI (Stephen Taylor writes). Mr Dennis Divaris, a former chief whip and Mayor of Salisbury, announcing his decision, said: "I think I can get the ear of Government better by being an Independent than by being a member of the RF". As an Independent with the seven other rebels he would not "ridicule or denigrate the black man, or denigrate the black man, as has been done in parlia-ment by certain RF mem-

U2 flies into

NEWS IN

SUMMARY

Nine killed

in tanker

explosion

New York. — A 44,881-ton oil tanker sank with nine of its 25 American crewmen missing, presumed dead, after an explosion about 750 miles east of Bermuda, United States Coast Guard

reported.
The other crew of the United States registered United States registered Golden Dolphin, took to lifeboats and were picked up by the Swedish motor vessel

Norrland. The Golden Dol-phin was sailing empty from New Orleans to Port Said, the

The captain, who was not identified, was quoted as saying he believed that the

nine missing men were killed by the explosion which was followed by a fire. "Appar-ently all nine were working

in the tanks at the time", the Coast Guard said. The cause of the blast is not yet known.

Salisbury. — An eighth-white MP has resigned from Zimbabwe's Republican Front because, he said, there

Smith loses

another MP

Topeka, Kansas — An American U2 aircraft made three reconnaissance flights into a mysterious cloud surrounding the earth at an altitude of nearly 50,000ft NASA said.

During its six-hour mission the aircraft gathered par-ticles from the invisible cloud which is belived to be of volcanic origin and to contain nearly a million tons of debris.

NASA said that the cloud ounced by passion and prejudice. (Charles Hargrove writes). It is the fact that it took place at all, and that he said the same things, clearly and simply, in Jerusalem as in Riyadh that is new and important. five times during the two years after volcanic erup-

by prosecutor

Istanbul. — The trial of 52 leaders of the left-wing confederation of progressive trade unions (Disk) will not endanger workers' rights in Turkey, Colonel Suleyman Takkeci, Istanbul's chief

military prosecutor said.

He is presenting the case against the Disk leaders and said that the 52 men on trial for their lives were not charged for their union activities, but for "attempt-ing to destroy the state and set up a Marxist-Leninist regime".

Front line steps up ANC support Maputo.- Six states in southern Africa decided to

strengthen coordination of their military and economic policies in order to counter what they describe as "An undeclared war situation" provoked by South Africa. At the end of a two-day meeting in Maputo, the presidents of Angola, Botpresidents of Angola, Bot-swana, Mozambique, Tanza-nia and Zambia, and the Prime Minister of Zimbabwe, issued a communique which promised increased support for the African National Congress (ANC) of South Africa so that the nationalist Africa, so that the nationalist

movement could "intensify the armed struggle for the

attainment of national inde-

White birth rate falls in S Africa

pendence".

Johannesburg. — The birthrate of South Africa's white population is falling, mainly because Afrikaners are abandoning the concept of the large family. According to statistics published by the Human Sciences Research Council the white birthrate has dropped from 23.2 per thousand in 1970 to 17 per thousand in 1977 17 per thousand in 1977.

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Karamanlis cuts short Indian visit

Delhi — President Constantine Karamanlis of Greece cut short his visit to Madras and left for Singapore en route to Sydney and the state of the stat and left for Singapore en route to Sydney a day early, reports said. Before his departure, a statement said that Mr Karamanlis had to shorten his visit to India for "strictly technical reasons."

Women gain time

Islamabad. — The Afghan Government granted 18 months' remission to women serving prison terms, Kabul radio, monitored here, said. The decision has been takem on the eve of International Women's Day.



Chinese checker: A Peking policeman stops a young cyclist and fines him one yuan (30 pence) for having no bell on his bicycle.

Hunters begin killing seal pups

28. Mexican officials said they did not expect any significant change in the American postion until after further month the limited state of emergency (AP and Meanwhile Salvadorean guerrillas have invited Mr
"Tip" O'Neill, Speaker of the House of Representatives, and other members of Congress to visit rebel-controlled territory. pups already born was more The Canadian authorities aim of thwarting than four days old. The have issued a number of hunters and as biologist said the coats are at permits allowing some memavoiding arrest.

Cap-aux-Meulles, Quebec, March 7. — Canada's controversial seal pup hunt has begun amid a herd in the west-northwest of the Magdalen Islands, with one observer putting the first day's kill at a possible 400 to 600 pups.

A Fisheries Department marine biologist, who flew over the herd yesterday, said the estimated that there were 50,000 pups in the very large herd, covering an area 20 miles long and 60 miles wide. He said he estimated that tup to 60 per cant of the cow seals in the herd were pregnant and none of the pups already born was more than four days old. The

of his supporters today after a speech in which he accused Iraq and the United States of encouraging murder and sabotage in Syria. Tens of thousands of Syrians turned out to hear the President speak from the

balcony of the capital's guest palace and then marched with him in a a procession to the People's Assembly (Parliament).

In his speech celebrating the anniversary of the 1963 revolution which brought the ruling Baath Party to power, President Assad said Iraq had smuggled arms and explosives with help from the
American Central Intelligence Agency to the Muslim
Brotherhood in the Syrian

town of Hama.

The Brotherhood staged a bloody revolt in the town last

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Director of Personnel. Hambros Bank Ltd. 41 Bishopsgate, London FC2.

January 1st, 1982.

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But the standard is necessarily high. Because when you're commissioned you'll be responsible for the lives and well-being of those under your command.

If you fail our interview, there is one consolation: you'll find the others much easier to take.



Legal, decent but can Budget purdah — the security Treasury mandarins into novice Trappists — has special uses for Chancellors. In the weeks before the Budget more people have audiences with Sir Geoffrey Howe than at any other time. At no time, however, do fewer hear him and more misunderstand the lawyer who for seven years has been the front-man for Mrs Thatcher's

economic policy:
Since before Christmas Sir
Geoffrey has been receiving
embassies from beleaguered
industrialists and MPs. They come bringing finely wrought offerings from the think-tanks of the CBI and the TUC, predictable platitudes from the boardrooms of brewers. They make impassioned pleas for expansion — backed by pie-charts of unemployment and squeals for more profits. The Chancellor just sits at the end of the table, twists his fingers where once he would have held a cigarette, and says nothing. Purdah not only protects Budget secrets, it means that even the most unprepossessing incumbent of No 11 Downing Street can be silently impress-Street can be silently impressive to people to whom he does not want to talk anyway. As one industrialist petitioner put it last week: "It is like appearing before one of the not-so-great Mogul emperors. Because he says so little, everyone goes away feeling he has beaten Howe in the argument. Of course, when the Budget turns out badly we'll probably end up feeling as though we've been stamped upon by the imperial elephant". upon by the imperial elephant".

That was precisely what happened last year. The lobbyists, the press and sympathetic ministers, thought they had won "a Budget for industry" Instead, there came from the Chancellor's battered bag a £3,000m dose of deflation. To avoid a repeat performance tomorrow, the Prime Minister, two weeks ago, made her now-famous "Ulysses speech", warning that expectations of the Budget were too high and that her Government would

resist the siren voices". Whatever Sir Geoffrey's petiwhatever Sir Geoffrey's pen-tioners may like to think, the simple fact is that the Chancel-lor had already won his big battles on the economy before he met any of them. All that was left to fight were a few skirmishes over marginal land. As a Conservative backbencher put it — somewhat more astutely than the industrialist: "It's only by trying to lobby Sir Geoffrey Howe that you realize why Latin has a vocative of mensa; it was just like talking to a table". however, one There

important difference between tomorrow's Budget and last year's: tomorrow's is one year nearer to the next election. In that respect the Prime Minis-ter's "Ulysses" speech could turn out to have more than just a short-term impact on the Chancellor's personal fortunes. Having assured herself that the battle over the policy has been won, Mrs Thatcher has decided to enter the growing fray over how that policy should be presented to the electorate.

Is it best to emphasize the Government's courage and constancy, to look backwards to the last manifesto, to mandates and the Medium Term Financial Strategy? Should the Chancellor continue to send his Treasury information officers Hoovering around Whitehall for every speck of evidence that

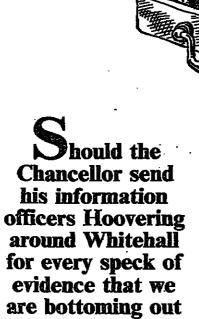
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we are bottoming out of our recession? Or might it not be better to follow the line of Francis Pym, Lord Hailsham and many of her own advisers, who warn that thwarted hopes are a greater electoral threat than the recession itself? Could she not find a new occupant for Number 11,

Downing Street who, without worrying the financial markets that there had been a change of policy, might present that policy in a brighter light?

Mrs Thatcher will certainly be cautious of the very idea of a change — not least because a change — not least because she knows that about half the calls for a new Chancellor come from colleagues who are opposed to the policy itself. She knows Sir Geoffrey well. Of all the Cabinet, he is the most doggedly loyal. He has the detailed, backward-looking mind of the successful lawyer that he once was and he is as that he once was and he is as politically dominated by her as any Chancellor since Anthony Barber, also a lawyer, served Edward Heath. She is also very fond of him.

He shares her own provincial middle-class background and indeed has stayed somewhat closer to the world of Port Talbot than she has to Grantham. His family — as all profiles will tell you in almost



the same words — has a tradition of liberal politics and his grandfather was a pioneer of the tinplate workers' union. He also shares her stubborn-ness, her dedication, her capa-city for hard work and lack of

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the umbilical cord between them is both help and hindrance to the Chancellor's effectiveness in Whitehall. There is an undeniable sense in which he is her junior minister. Rather than take a difficult decision himself, he will often refine the options from which she can choose. He is particularly prone to doubt in dealings with the Bank of England and its governor, Gordon Richardson. The Prime Minister enjoys

he inspires the loyalty, if not perhaps the enthusiasm, which they had for the more independent and forceful Denis Healey. There is a great mystique in the Treasury about what is called with deliberate overemphasis "understanding the policy". Some curious bedfellows are industrial investment with not a thought for the money supply "not understand the policy". Neither does at least one

Treasury Minister. The Chancellor does "under-stand the policy" but with the caveat that he does not do so in quite the way that Nigel passionate commitment with

The result, according to both

left and right wing opponents, is that he is very difficult to deal with. Labour politicians would rather debate with Law-son who, when he was Finan-cial Secretary before moving over to Energy, projected a

ing to shore up the ailing

Western credit restrictions

economies of the Sovie Union and its allies.

- such as a refusal to refinance some \$4,000m in

commercial loans or an ending of government guarantees for short-term trade credits — would create severe financial problems for the Source block

action is eventually decided the Administration is aware

that the pipeline issue has become an important symbol

of American resolve for conservatives in Congress.

Influential voices have already been raised in the Senate, including that of Senator Ted Stevens, the Republican whip, suggesting that the United States should

withdraw some of its troops from Europe if the pipeline

used the pipeline as a means of launching a new attack on Mr Haig, whom they believe to be too soft and accommodating with the Europeans. At a conference on East-West security but treek Conserved.

security last week, Congressman John Leboutillier, a shrill right-winger, said the pipeline was the modern equivalent of the 1939 Ger-

man-Soviet non-aggression treaty, and accused Mr Haig

of promoting policies that would "not only destroy the Western alliance, but make the world infinitely more dangerous for the United

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Some monetarists, on the other hand, see Howe's policy stance as unnecessarily inflexible. They argue that a man with an intuitive feel for monetarism could have relaxed because to take account of monetarism could have relaxed his targets to take account of the unexpectedly deep recession. Moreover, he could have done so while actually strengthening the confidence of the financial markets that he was sticking to his guns.

In a curious way, the Chan-cellor's dilemma over present-ing his monetary policy closely mirrors the dilemma of present-ing the real economy. The monetary targets are in almost as had a state as the complex monetary targets are in atmost as bad a state as the employment figures. What should one do? Change the target from sterling M3 to something else, admit one's mistakes, keep the rate of planned increase low and hope still to be able to consolidate the decline in our expectations? expectations?

Or should the Chancellor or should the Chancelor press on regardless, sticking to sterling M3, sticking close to the original Medium Term Financial Strategy figures, and putting on an unchanged face to a public which mostly

which they at least could grapple. Arguing with Howe, while not always like talking to a table, is often like tangling with a ghost predicted a gloomy future picture, Mrs Thatcher felt compelled to choose the "crumbs of comfort" speech, But it was a close thing.

Last month Francis Pym followed his gloomy speech at the party conference with another prediction of continu-ing falling living standards and need to lower expectations, First reaction from the Chan-cellor and the Prime Minister was one of horror. The more considered reaction of Mrs Thatcher, at least, was that it had some good points about the way the next election might be way the next election might be fought. With three million unemployed and likely to remain so, perhaps the easy cynicism of the Macmillan-to-Callaghan years was no longer an Option. Then came her "Ulysses" speech and some tough questioning about whether Sir Geoffrey Howe was the right man to start learning the new tune.

It is a finely balanced ques-tion for her to answer. The Chancellor has no significant personal following in Parlia-ment or party but he plays an important personal role in maintaining the confidence of the City. He is no great orator but then his current key tenet

"maintaining steady but not excessive downward pressure on monetary aggregates" on monetary aggregates"—might have tried the mind of Edmund Burke.

And who would replace him?

Defence Secretary John Nott is probably first choice. He certainly "understands the policy" and would sell it with more freshness and vigour. But he is considered less "sound" than Sin Conference and is constantly Sir Geoffrey and is currently under a small Downing Street cloud for his failures to control defence spending. Patrick Jenkin is often mentioned as a runner but is considered to be doing well at Industry and unready for a new move. Nigel Lawson — increasingly seen as the Suslov of Mrs Thatcher's regime — could be promoted only over the dead body of Mr Whitelaw. The Chief Treasury Secretary, Leon Brittan, has almost all the disadvantages of Howe except that he is at least

A new face could in the end turn out to be enough. Tory strategists still remember what they call the "Healey factor" at the last election — the way they were able to taunt Denis Healey even after two years of virtual monetarism with all the excesses of his earlier years as Chancellor. Many of them would argue that cloning Sir Geoffrey Howe with Mr Brittan is a solution to suit all worlds.

The consensus is still, how-ever, that Sir Geoffrey will end up the survivor — albeit encouraged to approach next year's Budget with a fresher act around the hustings. The Chancellor of the Exchequer is not only a maker of govern-ment economic policy but its living advertisement, board-man. Conservatives and most electors — would probably agree that Sir Geoffrey Howe

reaches the required standard of being "legal, decent and honest"; when it comes to all that talk about "bottoming

follow the line of advisers, who warn that thwarted hopes are a greater electoral threat than the recession itself?

doesn't understand the policy anyway? The Chancellor has had both kinds of advice. His cautious instinct is strongly to

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take the second course.

Margaret Thatcher and Sir
Geoffrey Howe have been at the centre of a battle between cynicism and frankness in the presentation of their policy observer put it, "is to the Governor as the rabbit to the stoat. He sometimes doesn't even have the strength to run the safety of his own civil The half of the Cabinet Shadow Chancellor, Peter The half of the Cabinet Shadow Chancellor, Peter Chancellor, Peter The half of the Cabinet Shadow Chancellor, Peter Chancello

One emphasized the mountainous heights that still had to be climbed and the British people's preference for truth, trust and struggle over flattery and deceit. The other had a out", they would just like him centrepiece that listed success- to be a bit more "truthful". ful companies' recent export orders - specks of success embedded in platitudinous flan-

Peter Stothard

US challenges treaty on seabed resources

From Our Correspondent, New York, March 7 A treasure trove of strategic raw materials — including thousands of millions of tons of potato-shaped nodules rich in manganese, nickel, copper and cobalt drawing from the negolying on the ocean floor — tations.

The administration argued has been declared the com-mon heritage of mankind by that main elements in the the third Law of the Sea draft were against United conference, which resumes States national, defence and its extended negotiations at mining interests, and it the United Nations tomor- wanted to take stock of the the United Nations tomorcomplex negotiations. Many For the past seven years developing nations were 150 rich and poor nations stunned and accused the have been negotiating a draft administration of trying to treaty which would set new torpedo the agreement.
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rules for passage through Reagan announced that the straits and seas, and create a United States would return regime to govern the explo-ration and recovery of seabed to the conference, but he gave a warning that it would seek important changes in the deep seabed mining articles in order to obtain resources beyond national Ocean mining involves the commercial recovery of proper access to strategic raw materials. metal-bearing nodules found

metal-bearing nounces and on the world's seabeds. The Reagan Auministration of Primary commercial interest is a powerful champion of private enterprise and is private enterprise and is found in three to five miles of water. These deep seabeds, which constitute about half of the earth's surface, offer a concerned that the United States will not have a big enough say in the proposed Jamaica-based international

authority
As the draft stands,
America and other industrialized nations would provide
most of the capital and potentially increased supply of minerals important to the national economies and de-fence of the United States, West European countries, most of the capital and Japan, the Soviet Union, technology for the auth-China, and even land-locked ority's own mining opera-

The Law of the Sea Señor Alvaro de Soto of conference was on the verge Peru, chairman of the of completing a treaty last "Group of 77" developing war. It had drafted a text nations, said: "We have made totalling 175 pages in 17 parts it very clear to the United with 320 articles and eight States, whose participation annexes. It had reached we want very much, that we agreement on such crucial would consider improve-issues as 12-mile territorial ments in the system to limits, 200 mile economic everyone's satisfaction. We navigational do not, however, accept a major overhaul."

Soviet pipeline controversy

Cold war lobby grows in Congress

From Nicholas Ashford and Bailey Morris, Washington, March 7

The Reagan Administra-tion is walking a difficult path as it reopens discussions Siberian gas pipeline, and possible further economic Union.

The 3,600-mile pipeline has become an important political issue in the United States, in which Administration con-servatives and moderates are classic bureaucratic struggle for control of East-West policy.

The high-level debate over the pipeline, seen here as a symbol of Soviet exploitation of East-West detente, is accelerating a deepening mood of isolationism in

Congress.
The United States believes the pipeline will not only make Western Europe too make western Europe too dependent on the Soviet Union for energy and therefore open to Soviet blackmail, but the \$10,000m (about £5,000m) or more that the Russians will earn in hard currency from selling the gas will enable Moscow to devote more more to its arms. more money to its arms buildup.

Taken together, these developments and European anger at American attempts
to halt the pipeline, threaten
further damage to the
already strained Western alliance. This is why the United States delegation, led by Mr James Buckley, Under-Secretary of State for Security Assistance, has a difficult and delicate mission when it arrives on Saturday for talks with senior Euro-pean officials.

The Reagan Administration is walking a difficult path as it reopens discussions in Europe this week on the Siberian gas pipeline, and possible further economic sanctions against the Soviet Union.

The Buckley delegation, which will also include Mr Marc Leland, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, and Mr Lionel Olmer, Under-Secretary of Commerce, must sent the Soviet Union. saving position for President Reagan and one that will also satisfy European critics.

The task is made more difficult in the light of the servatives and moderates are belief of senior Reagan pitted against each other in a officials that the pipeline classic bureaucratic struggle decision has already been resolved in favour of the moderates led by Mr Alexander Haig, the Secretary of State, and against the hardliners led by Mr Caspar Weinberger, the Defence Secretary

> Even though the Adminis-tration insists publicly that no final decision has been taken, senior officials say the taken, senior officials say the very fact that Mr Reagan to a more effective common delayed tougher action on policy on security and energy the pipeline indicates that Mr matters.
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> Options to be discussed by Buckley delegation in-

The issue was debated at length during a session of the National Security Council last week. At this meeting Mr Weinberger, supported by senior National Security Council officials, argued in favour of a tougher approach, calling for a ban on foreign subsidiaries of American firms from supplying vital equipment for the pipeline.

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He particularly wanted to stop British, German and Italian subsidiaries of General Electric delivering turbines and compressors worth more than \$1,000m.

According to a Pentagon official such a ban would delay completion of the

pipeline by more than two years and would raise the soft, soft, government-backed loans to the Soviet Union— such as the \$100m recently cost so much that it would make the project appear much less attractive to parannounced by France — West European banks and governments were effectively help-

ticipating European nations.
However, Mr Haig, while also opposing the pipeline, argued that it was not worth alienating Europe to the extent of causing permanent damage to the Western alliance; to do so would be to play into the Russians'

"There is no point in pressing the alliance on the pipeline issue to the point where it cracks Western unity", Mr Robert Hormats, Assistant Secretary for Economic Affairs, said. official

According to official sources the Administration is not likely to take further action on the pipeline as long as the European allies agree to a more effective common policy on security and energy

the Buckley delegation in-clude a renewed grain em-bargo against the Soviet Union, although this is not thought likely, in addition to other less important trade sanctions which remain a

In particular, the United States will press the Euro-peans to join in imposing tough credit restrictions tough credit restrictions against the Soviet Union.

Indonesian bible gets Malay ban

From M. G. G. Pillai, Kuala Lumpur, March 7

The Malaysian Government has banned the Alkitab, the Indonesian translation of the Bible because it contains references to Allah. The Home Ministry says this is against the teachings of Islam. Any church or individual found in procession of ual found in possession of the Alkitab is liable to penalties which include imprisonment.

The problem arises because the Indonesians do not dis-tinguish between Aliah and Tuhan, as the Malaysians do, for the Muslim and non-Muslim Cod

Muslim God.

The Malaysians insist that the proscribed book cannot be the Bible, but priests from both the Protestant and Catholic churches say that they use the Altikab as the Bible in their regular Malaylanguage services, and have done so for more than a decade

The Alkitab is a direct translation from the New Testament in Greek and the Old Testament in 'Hebrew, and is published under the direction of the Supreme Council of Indonesian Churches.

The ban has now become a sensitive political issue, in view of the forthcoming elections. The Government's dilemma

The Government's dilemma stems from the need to encourage the national language, while controlling the spread of Christianity among the Muslim population. Under both the Malaysian constitution and local practice, Muslims cannot be converted to other faithe converted to other faiths. The churches themselves are treading very carefully.

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The team, including a contingent from Britain, is to work at Jinja barracks, 50 miles east of Kampala, the original base of the Uganda

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request for the training team to improve discipline and efficiency in the Ugandan army, which has frequently been acceed of robbing ang killing civilians.

Last week the Roman Catholic Archbishop or Uganda, Cardinal Emmanuel Nsuvuga, made a strong protest after armed soldiers entered his cathedral in Kampala during mass and forced out priests and congression

gregation.
The soldiers were searching for arms after a guerrilla attack in Kampala during fired which mortars were fired

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Ugandans accept UK troops

From Charles Harrison Nairobi, March 7 The Ugandan Government

has agreed on terms and conditions for a 36-man Commonwealth military training team, after at first rejecting proposals put for-ward by the Commonwealth Secretariat. The first mem-bers or the team, including Colonel Clavering, its British commander, arrived here this weekenden route to Kampala. Mr Paulo Muwanga, the Ugandan vice-president and defence minister, said earlier that Uganda would not agree to give the team diplomatic status, but this weekend he said matters had now been settled to Uganda's satisfac-

battalion of the King's Afri-can Rifles before Uganda achieved independence in The Commonwealth responded to a Houndary

from near the cathedral.

New voices in a dramatic dialogue

As a new season of German drama opens in London Irving Wardle argues that it is time we started listening to what a new generation of writers has to say

Laube mean anything to you? . If not, let me identify them as some of the writers whose some of the writers whose more is appearing in the sold of the work is appearing in the Soho Poly's six week German other stages. Whatever the reason, it is clear that a large the moment, that is all I cross-section of British play. For the moment, that is all I have to say on the matter, as they are new names to me as

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if I were amounting a are kept going by their senson of new English plays foreign royalties; and from it a German newspaper. The names of Bond, Shaffer, Pinter and a whole string of the string of th Pinter and a whole string of others would need no introduction. With German the stress falling over each total stress three things: direct tors, architecture and gigantors, architecture architecture, architecture, architecture, architecture, architecture, architecture, architecture, architecture, architecture, architec munifamiliar to us because hair appeal is confined to an-speaking audiences; and that we can produce In terms of market forces,

the answer is yes. Every few years bring another miracu-lous crop of new writers whose work moves from the whose work moves from the The same is true of fringe to the international English directors who take in scene as securely as Victorian cotton. I have never theatres. They come back understood what disting with stories of absurdly guishes national from interministed design budgets, national material. You might suppose that comedies dealers actors who have to be moved around like chess pieces, and the interpretative excesses of their colleagues. Not many stories come back about new German plays, though: it is quirks of character would be their coneagues. Not many classics as well, I once asked and given the few dreadful it still strikes me as a myopic a French Revolutionary for English andiences only. Stories come back about new Kenneth Tynan, the champroductions that have absurdity that we should asking whether the pound the Round House's Robin the opposition while preserval terrative to violence.

Do the names of Maria Bennett does not; and Peter Reinhard, Peter Turrini, Nichols — the most acute of all specialists in English middle class life all specialists in English middle-class life -- has never achieved a London run of more than six months, and wrights - from what David Mercer once described as the "dark, significant talents to This would not be the case the ones that make money"

> done. They only played the text." And having witnessed a monumental Berlin version of The Sea, with the character of Bond's undernourished draper transformed into a National Socialist screamer. I know just what that meant.

The same is true of



Fran Barber and Barry Phillips in Heiner Müller's The Mission.

The Robbers and the leadenly they were reacting against.

Consider the two versions of Klaus Mann's Mephisto. In at the Open Space - perhaps the Oxford Playhouse prohe was right.

The writers who have got through to us are counterclassicists: Büchner, Wede-kind and Brecht — iconoclastic poets working against the grain of the official culture. Not that every such writer gets through the net. We have yet to see anything by Buchner's marvellous contemporary Jakob Lenz, though the French have sensibly snapped him up. And, as for Kleist, the National Theatre is announcing its April production of The Prince of Homburg as the first appearance of the play

If you canvassed the opinion of British playgoers, think their verdict would be that only opposition voices, like Buchner's are worth like Buchner's are worth attention among the writers of the past; and that the only good living German playwrights are Austrian (like Handke and Wolfgang Bauer, who thoughtfully equips his pieces with English titles). Official German culture is seen as a ponderous, gloomy mass,

There may be some in-herent national characteristics that support this idea. Fran Barber and Barry Phillips in Heiner Müller's The Mission.

For instance, German actors have difficulty with improvisandbags, or playing Coriola—
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museum of world drama. He sentence. And as their drama Before consigning Reinhard, Turrini and Co to their Teutonic oblivion, it is worth noting that it is not only their work that we have not seen: it is the German telassics as well. I once asked teneth Tynan, the cham-

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What we get, in other words, is a history of the

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show: a style as written into Terry Parsons's set, with its

revolve that periodically brings realistic pieces into

Another point about the subject is that where only old

Victoria Palace fans remem-

ber the stage routines, every-

body knows the songs. And

the show turns this to advantage by building narra-tive episodes around "Um-brella Mau", "Hey Neig-hbour" and the title number.

Ches, retaining his eternal

role as straight man, spends

a good deal of the first half in charting Bud's early years,

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of Bud's boyhood, and highstepping ship's company and Uncle Sam reception com-

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excruciating one-liners.

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Whether the full force of play, opening on Monday, is Heiner Müller's The Mission, a French Revolutionary piece asking whether the poor and

out only when accompanied

with a young man and a pair of jump-leads), form a smooth series of intercon-

To the show's great good fortune, there are enough of

the old team still spry enough to pick up their old routines and show the young-sters exactly what used to go

on. These include irresistably

funny men like Joe Black,

mected separate turns.

duction, it came over as a pungent study of political compromise, focusing on the fellow-travelling case of a mountebank actor. In the German-language film, German-language film, thanks to Klaus Maria Brandauer's performance, you saw the same dilemma applied to a great actor, an actor of the official tradition. Rehearsing the temptation of Faust, Brandauer began the scene as a mechanical exercise, and gradually took fire from the words, changing instant by instant (and without make-up) into the in-human agility and phosphor-escent glamour of Mephisto-

classical German can ever be captured on the English stage, the Germans are our closest theatrical neighbours, and I wish we acknowledged this as freely as they do. We have been learning stage-craft from them ever since the arrival of the exiled Laban and Toller in the 1930s. Our notions of modern theatre-building and company organization derive from theirs. We are still digesting the lessons of the Berliner Ensemble, and discovering how to play Brecht in English. It is time we started listening to their new writers as well. As Estella Schmid, the organizer of the Soho Poly season says, "the paral-lels between the two societies are so rich . . . that cultural cross-pollination can only be beneficial to both". The first

ible death. One evening he was found lying on the floor in his villa outside Moscow. As the fount of authority was speechless, nothing was done at first. Then down came the Politburo to take a peep. Beria decided Stalin was asleep, the maid was cen-sured, and the Politburo stage with a succession of line), wartime flourishes of top-Nazi underwear (in the departed. Hours later they "Siegfried Line"), and post-war triumph over Val Parnell (who, Bud alleges, takes girls had to come again. ·

had to go through the system. The Kremlin Hospi-tal and the Academy of Sciences were informed while Stalin lay unattended. It was not until the following morning that a doctor came. Svetlana described how, dying, Stalin had looked round angry and frightened, raising a hand once as though to manifest a rage. It was not,

She married for the third time in America, is now divorced and living with her daughter, aged 10. In Russia she has a grandson of the

These are on hand from the start, handing out dirty postcards (painted with mud) and bullying the house to who is acutely aware of sin everywhere, whether she didn't think self-indulgence settle down,

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cost £94,000 to set up and,

said Melvyn Bragg introduc-ing it is something of a

Certainly an air of defen-

siveness was about. Bob Hoskins, who will be Nathan

Detroit, said there would be a

lot of people ready to knock

should do it. Director Richard Eyre said he didn't

think that was a question that needed an answer: a national theatre was in the

business of presenting an international repertoire.

That didn't explain to me

why they picked on a musical that, as he said, was "one hundred and five per cent

American" but everyone was working hard, learning to hoof, talk American and do all the things that come so naturally on Broadway.

The programme was en-livened by Abe Burrows who wrote the dialogue that separated Frank Loesser's hits in the first place. If

someone paid him a lot of money, he said, he'd come

over and talk to the cast but

really accents didn't matter

and ask why the National

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gamble itself.

might do for America, but didn't go far down that road.
Credit goes to Jonathan
Stedall for a good production
and to Mr Muggeridge who Mrs Peters, plump and healthy-looking, seemed entirely at home helping the Muggeridges in their Sussex garden: a more incongruous setting for Stalin's daughter could not be imagined. It made BBC2's A Week With made it possible. LWT's The South Bank Show last night looked at the National Theatre preparing its first musical, Guys and Svetlana on Saturday, the fifteenth anniversary of her Dolls, which opens at the Olivier Theatre tomorrow. It

defection, riveting. Svetlana Alliluyeva, as she is better known, has been an occasional correspondent of Mr Muggeridge's since she was taken by a book of his about Jesus. She was baptised secretly and riskily before her defection and remains very religious. Writing in 1980, she said she would like to talk to him about her life, which she sees as a saga, a satire and a tragedy all in one, "for the sake of those people who only watch good programmes

Last summer she came to Robertsbridge. It is hard to imagine Mr Muggeridge dis-concerted by any visitation and here we saw him at his courteous, inquisitive ease. Svetlana talked about God, Jesus, her two children in Russia "whose well-being depends on their being cut off from me" — and about

her father and mother. The latter committed sui-The latter committed suicide when she was six, a fact she discovered in the Illustrated London News, apparently a Kremlin perk. She confirmed it with an aunt. The suicide affected Stalin so much that an eye had to be kept on him to ensure that he didn't kill himself, but he rallied by transmuting griefing anger. Svetlana recalled into anger. Svetlana recalled that as a child she had known him show great tenderness but said in later years they were estranged.
She described his incred-

The leader's indisposition

she said, a peaceful death. with his saw-mill voice and rose bud lips, the amazingly rubber-faced Tommy God-frey, and Monsewer Gray's splendid lookalike brother

same age. She considered that Russia would collapse from within, such was the alienation of people from government, was asked by Mr Muggeridge,

Svetlana Alliluyeva remembering BBC2's The Apprentice last

night deserves a mention. Produced by Michael Wald man it was about a jovial and hitherto unemployed lad on work experience at an undertaker's. While it may have been over-informative on detail for some viewers, it was very well done and supported the view that every cloud has a silver lining.

Dennis Hackett

Concerts

Coull Quartet Waterloo Room --

Music is nothing if it does not change our minds, and so phonic harmony character-I am not astonished that the istic of English music for Coull Quartet should have Viols, and in that respect it Coull Quartet should have viols, and in that respect it quite altered my impression shares a common sound and of Rubbra's First Quartet when on Friday evening I Britten and Tippett, while the heard them play it for the slow movement, with its second time within recent lovely Viola theme, has a weeks. Perhaps it is just that maturity and dignity that mildness takes a while to belong to Rubbra alone. Once penetrate, whereas rhetoric more the Park Lane Group's Orchestra de Paris/ istantly forces a response: excellent series has shown certainty forces a response: excellent series has shown certainty Christopher what riches he within the Brown's Second Quartet, repertory of English heard immediately after the Rubbra, proved the latter case. Packed with raw excellent series has shown that the within the repertory of English quartets.

Paul Griffiths pressiveness and oblivious of what is appropriate or plausible, it raged through 25 minutes and has, I find, pushed its way into my first Orchestra/Ledger

paragraph when I was trying However, it is Rubbra's quiet strength that rests in the mind. the mind, not Brown's vehemence. The serene harmony of the work reminds one of Vaughan Williams, though it is the alert serenity of an active musical mind, and there are other predecessors the composer has gathered into his fold. The moderately-paced open-ing movement, threaded by a single short motif, looks back to the earlier Haydn,

who also, like Rubbra here, found release in figal quick fugue for some of his most weightily serious quartet inventions. Aldwych

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compromise his red-headed fury to suit the limitations of Rubbra's fugal movement, though, is also casting further back to retrieve that the solo instrument. Hugo D'Alton and, in a double concerto in G, James Tyler produced patches of amazcurious mixture of melowness and sinew, that polyrgly sonorous tone colours in the upper register, even if they could not quite keep up with Vivaldi's alarming pace

Stephen Pettitt

Barenboim

Barbican Hall

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Cordiale during the first days of the Barbican Centre, and it was appropriate that the should be the leading one first visiting orchestra there should be the leading one from France, Daniel Barenboim's Orchestre de Paris, under the sponsorship of the Barque Nationale de Paris.

The orchestra and Mr Barenboim— who have been together some seven years—by its own rules, as the enthusiasm of the large audience on Friday night for the London Bach Orchestra's concert clearly showed. It was more proof of what I have long suspected, that there is plenty of room for both puritans and sinners, and a large space between them to fill.

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The concert began a mite perversely, considering the orchestra's name, with a concerto grosso by Handel, the last of his Op 6 set. Here, as elsewhere, intonation was far from impeccable, but the phrasing in the faster movements was the faster movements was the faster movements was the faster movements.

as elsewhere, intonation was far from impeccable, but the phrasing in the faster movements was brightly enunciated, balancing the seamless cantilena in the famous Larghetto. It was a pity that at least one eighteenth century convention, the placing of first and second violins on weighty.

The Fantastic Symphony was their other item, a big, theatrical performance that placed drama ahead of subtle-placed drama ahead of s

chord concerto, BWV 1055, forces were wisely pared for the timorous instrument played impeccably, as far as could be judged, by the orchestra's 'director, Philip Ledger. This was cosy music-making, erring on the side of complacency in the slow movement, where the simple string chords were not poised enough under the harpsichord's embellishments; but the rushing French figurations of the finale compensated. A neat, well-oiled D minor concerto and the English ear does not force the distinct and the English ear does not the first stier, the sound was the first tier, the sound was the first tier. were one or two land and the English ear does not for violin and oboe, BWV always take happily to the 1060, later came from the laways take happily to the laways take happily to the laways take happily to the laway laway with spirit.

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Larghetto. It was a pity that at least one eighteenth century convention, the placing of first and second violins on opposite sides, was not observed. Many a magical imitation thus had its effect dulled.

In Bach's A major harpsichord concerto, BWV 1055, forces were wisely pared for the timorous instrument played impeccably, as far as

violinist David Woodcock and the oboist Tess Miller.
Neither of two Vivaldi mandolin concertos sounded mandolin concertos sounded concertos composer concertos con

Underneath the Arches Prince of Wales

suppose it would have been

tempting fate to have brought nostalgic false proscenium the Chichester Festival's and footlights, coupled with a "Musical Celebration" of the revolve that periodically Crazy Gang back home to the Victoria Palace where the gang held sway for 15 years after the war. But the Prince of Wales still feels like a vaudeville house even since the "no smoking" signs went up, and for those with fond memories of the gang, and those (like me) who never saw them, Patrick Garland, Brian Glanville and Roy Hudd have assembled a genuinely affectionate and extremely well organized group portrait of the last bastion of British music-hall.

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of telling the life stories of
Bud Flanagan and Chesney
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the gang, and pleasing old friends

You realize that you are in safe hands from the early moment when Christopher Timothy — playing a grimly straightfaced Ches — embarks on a "formative years" speech only to be silenced by the rest of the team sidling and ogling their way over the silenced to the silenced to the rest of the team sidling and ogling their way over the silenced to the silenced to the rest of the team sidling their way over the silenced to the silenced to the silenced to the silenced to the silence to the silence

Opera

The Magic Flute

port with the stage.

im's vigorous direction it was the confident, finely judged dramatic and musical pacing, the polish of en-

semble and chorus, that held together so convincingly the daringly heterogeneous inci-Royal Academy of

Music

Dame Eva Turner returned to her alma mater to receive, tableaux and characters:

dent of this production. The central panel of Nicholas Ormerod's plain white set rose and fell to reveal a succession of toy theatre to her alma mater to receive, tableaux and characters: to her alma mater to receive, tableaux and characters: as a member of the audience, three white plaster Genie a most delightful birthday stepping from a rococo present, the Royal Academy's warm-hearted, lightened classical wisdom, filled student performance of the morie flute. tro in Lawrence Wallington;

filled student performance of The Magic Flute.

If Nicholas Hytner's production allowed for scarcely a breath of fear, a glimpse of true darkness or danger, trial or magic, it enchanted increasingly in its own cunningly original way. Earthily humane, yet never earthbound, with Papageno and Sarastro's slaves as bluff northern lads, its strong comic energy was skilfully controlled, bouncing out of Andrew Porter's new, winsome, nursery-rhyming with a genial, donnish Sarastro in Lawrence Wallington; and, rather less successful, three portly ladies, hamming along in 1940s evening dress.

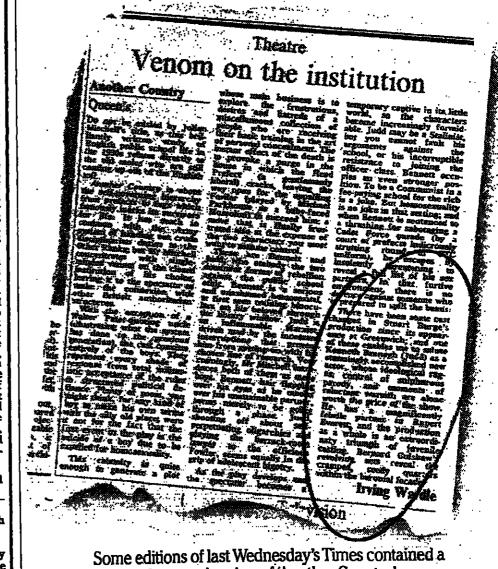
Papagena as cockney tea lady complete with urn was nicely mated to Geoffrey Dolton's irresistable, bewildered Papageno. Both he and Peter Bronder as Tamino sung with bold, resonant ardour and a stamina that augurs well for three more performances (tonight, Monday and Tuesday) with no cast change. I feared more Andrew Porter's new, winsome, nursery-rhyming in cast change. I feared more
translation. No less lithe and
easeful was Nicholas
Cleobury's direction of the
small chamber orchestra,
bright, transparent and in
almost unfailing liting rapnort with the stage.

Monday and Tuesday) with
so cast change. I feared more
for the lasting power of
Susan Bullock's brave, but
frail Queen of the Night and
Shirley Pilgrim's demure
pamina, though they too,
gave fresh, consistent and
musically sensitive charactermusically sensitive character-Hilary Finch

The pas de six from La tackles zestfully the high Vivandière is almost a cen-entrechats and the cabrioles. women, who accompany the principals and have some

this piece will be a winner.

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Royal Ballet

ated in 1942, is unusual in two respects. It takes as its basis a poem by Robert basis and the p

of an earlier period. I can vincing.

think of no other ballet quite like it, the nearest approach being Gore's own later stag-The two revivals presented by Sadier's Welis Royal Ballet both exemplify styles of dancing which are not often attempted today. Walter Gore's Confessional, created in 1942, is unusual in two respects. It takes as its ing of Monteverdi's Il Com-

The dance thus becomes she brings an intentness and

tury older than Confessional. It was a showpiece added to one of his own ballets (but based on a earlier, smaller number by another choreographer) by Arthur Saintcould have been a penesitian ransliteration into a limited leon to show the brilliant skill of Fanny Cerrito and himself. The revival puts paid to any beliefs that dance technique was much simpler

The dance thus becomes she brings an intentness and sono (rour single, four double, alternately right and left) are seriousness to the part which of the "music visualizations" make her performance conhappily spirited, and he vincing.

The four subsidiary

prentily light-hearted entries of their own, have danced more joyfully at each successive performance. Only the ballerina part is, so far, not quite glittering enough. Margaret Barbieri, dancing the premiere with an injured foot, showed a feeling for the period style but lacked force and finish in her solos.

Sherilyn Kennedy subsequently brought a deliciously crisp brightness to the steps, but too modern a manner Once they really work into it,

John Percival

The Cabinet will soon be asked to approve, and Parliament to endorse, a decision to spend around £8,000m (at today's prices) on a new strategic nuclear force.

When the Government first explored the options for replacing the aging Polaris submarines it concluded that, of the alternatives available, of the alternatives available, the most sensible course was to acquire Trident missiles from the United States, develop a British warhead to put on them and construct a new class of nuclear-powered ballistic missile submarines (SSBNs) to put them in.

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President Carter on the
missile purchase. Preliminary work was set in hand on
the warhead and on the
design of the new SSBNs. The cost was put at up to £5,000m, at July 1980 prices and exchange rates, for a four-boat force. There are several reasons

why the price has leapt to £8,000m. First, the Reagan Administration intends to halt production of the missile which Britain had planued to buy — the Trident I (or C4) system — and is pushing ahead with development of a higger, longer-range, more potent weapon, the Trident II

(or D-5).
Secondly, the SSBNs which
Britain will have to build for
the longer and fatter rockets will themselves have to be longer and fatter. Therefore they will be dearer.

Thirdly, the warhead to go with the more complex Trident II or D-5 delivery vehicle will almost certainly a more complicated one than the original Trident I or C-4 missile would have needcd. Thus higher cost, and a higher risk of cost escalation, enter the reckoning here as well.

A final reason why the bill for the jump in price from

for a new strategic nuclear force has gone up is that, since the original costing was done in mid-1980, prices in

Athens



spend on a major weapons programme, and that the acquisition can be funded without detriment to the rest of the defence effort. Going further, the most Government pronouncements have suggested

that the United States might be prepared to let Britain have the missiles at a bargain price. And hints have been dropped that a purchase could open the door for British firms to participate in the multi-billion dollar pro-gramme for the Americans' own Trident force. All in all, it is beginning to sound too good to be true. In fact what is happening is quite straightforward. Minds have been made up.

The emphasis in official utterances now is on making the Trident pill palatable, by judicious sugar-coating. Putting it another way, the plea is that the proposed procurement be seen in "proper perspective". That means looked at as the

powers-that-be would prefer it to be viewed, from the most favourable angles, which are those from which the expenditure envisaged does not loom large and from which the whole deal can indeed appear attractive.
Thus it is impossible to

take exception to what is being said, for instance, about the scale of the expense and about the potenemployment benefit. other standpoints, the proposition does look different; and for ministers to pretend otherwise is somewhat disingenuous. Take the line that the

defence budget. That may be nition for them. true. But there are other That may be true, but it is accompany the official announcement of its decision, which at the most can only be a couple of weeks away.

ways or tooking at the outlay, accompany the official announcement of its decision, in the later 1980s the programme will need around from annually, or 6 per the ways of looking at the outlay. general have risen and the sterling-dollar exchange rate has moved unfavourably, from the point of view of buying from the United to the mountement of its decision. In the later 1980s the programme will need around from the meantime a preparation of the overall budget, if the the chosen bench-

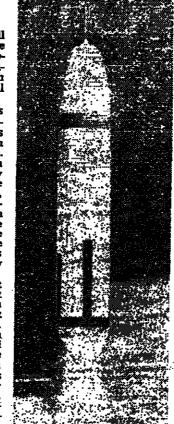
sums needed for Trident will soak up 12-15 per cent of the money for research, development and production expen-diture; and perhaps as much budget, strictly defined.

Big capital programmes which absorb high proportions of any one year's money are not unusual in defence budgeting, of course.
To underscore this point, a favourite ministerial ploy lately has been to cite the Tornado aircraft project, which represents an invest-ment of more than £10,000m all told and is taking huge bites of the equipment at the moment. By comparison the Trident programme looks almost modest and certainly manageable.

In this connexion, what has to be remembered is that for the sums being spent on Tornado the country will get nearly 400 combat aircraft. Together with a few dozen Harrier jump-jets, these will provide virtually the entire front line for the RAF in Germany in the 1990s plus the interceptors required for Britain's own air defence, Keeping a sense of pro-portion about vast expenditures ought also to mean noting facts like that.

Where the Government is being most disingenuous, however, is in meeting the argument that earmarking £8,000m for the Trident acquisition entails no degradation of conventional, i.e., non-nuclear, defence capabilities. The official riposte to this challenge is that over the next several years more rather than less is to be spent agregate expenditure of on new warships, armoured £8,000m spread over 15-20 fighting vehicles and planes years will absorb, on average, such as the Tornado, togethonly 3 per cent of the er with weapons and ammu-

> not the whole truth. For one thing provision for Trident corporated in the budget projections for the rest of the 1980s and early 1990s, and previously-entered fund-ing for the replacement,



TRIDENT D5: 1995-2020 Submarines: 4 Missiles: 64 Warheads: 640 Range: 6,000 miles

Moreover, it is self-evident that if Britain can allot £15-18,000m a year to defence through the rest of this decade (which is what ministers are telling our allies) then some significant con ventional force improvements could be had for the money that will be spent on Trident. Each chief of staff has his list, and would no doubt be delighted if asked to bring it What, finally, of the most

ing which has been undertaken, based on intimations that the Americans may sell their missiles to us at advantageous terms?

Three observations must Contrary to popular myth, you should always look gifthorses in the mouth. The notion that the United States may exact only a small percentage levy as a contribution to research and development expenses, for example, may not be quite what it appears to be. A small proportion of an unknown quantity is not an obvious bargain, especially given the known propensity of wea-

pons development costs to escalate as time goes by. Even if British firms do Even if British firms do get a chance to bid for business on the American missile programme, the chances of their getting much cannot be rated highly. Indeed it is inconceivable that the United States Administration, still less Congress, would allow foreign manufacturers a major role in a key strategic weapons acquisition.

· Even if the Americans do come through with a bargain basement price plus British participation in the programme, it should be remembered that the missile element in the Trident kill element in the Trident bill may be no more than one quarter of the whole. The rest is money for expenditure in Britain on a bigger submarine than anyone here has built before and on a warhead which takes the weapons developers too into

unknown territory.
To conclude. Ministers have evidently, and appropriately, thought hard and long over the past few weeks about their nuclear policy options. But Mrs Thatcher is a determined lady. She means to stick to her missiles, ever though their cost has riser and the new models on offer are more lavish than the old. No worthwhile interest is served, however, by attempts to make out that the price is less than it really is. When what is intended is made known formally, in the next day or two, the proposition should be looked at from every angle and not just the way the Government presents

it. The author is Director of the Centre for Defence Studies at Aberdeen University

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Jail sentences: are politicians the best judges?

increasingly become involved in controversy. They have aroused left-wing wrath over the decision that the Greater London Council's cheap fares policy was wrongly conceived and a rate subsidy for it

illegal.
The Norwich housing case has also shown how the courts are being sucked into arbitration on political issues: last month the Court of Appeal endorsed the decision by Mr Michael Heseltine, the Environment Secretary, to take over houses and flats owned by the Labour-controlled city council to speed their sale to tenants. Lord Denning said:
"The council showed too libels concern for the rights little concern for the rights of the tenants".

of the tenants."
For J. A. G. Griffith,
Professor of Public Law at
the London School of Economics, the involvement of the courts in political issues reinforces the thesis he put forward in *The Politics of the Judiciary*. In a preface to a new revised edition (Fontana Paperbacks), he writes: "Our indiciary country to the property of the prope judiciary cannot, under our system, act neutrally but must act politically".

Professor Griffith writes: "It is demonstrable that on every major social issue which has come before the courts during the last 30 years — concerning indus-trial relations, political protest, race relations, governmental secrecy, police powers, moral behaviour — the judges have supported the conven-tional, established and settled

"And they have reacted strongly against challenges to those interests. This conservatism does necessarily follow the day-today political policies cur-rently associated with the party of that name. But it is a political philosophy nonethe-

The most serious and persistent clash between the courts and the politicians comes in an area in which at first sight there ought to be common ground — the sen-tencing of convicted offenders. This arises because the Government does not have the money to provide enough places for the criminals sentenced to prison by the

The sudden rise in the prison population since December, coupled with a need to keep prisoners as an emergency in police station cells which were not de-The paradox is that instead of signed to take them. brought the issue of judicial independence to a head.

During the committee stage of the Criminal Justice Bill on Thursday, Labour MPs accused the Government of departing from its original policy of automatic parole for shorter sentence prisoners because of pressure from the judiciary.

Alexander Mr Labour MP for York and a former junior minister at the Home Office, said that Lord it were thought that the Justice Lawton, a senior judge in the Court of Appeal, had "blown the gaff" when had "blown the gaff" when he had spoken of a meeting of the appeal court judges of formulating the elements with the Lord Chief Justice of an official sentencing and indicated "how they had voted him slowly down" "Fire Mr Lyon went on : or six people in England decided that a proposal which was widely canvassed, supported by a considerable section of this House, cerrainly by the Home Office, and was the policy of the Home Secretary, should not be carried"

be carried".

The judiciary had intimated, he said, that if there was automatic parole for shorter-term prisoners who had served one-third of their sentences, judges would increase sentences accordingly. Be that as it may, the MPs agreed, instead, powers for judges and magis-

Judges, like the police, have trates to suspend part of a The row leaves an important question which goes to the heart of the constitution: should Parliament act to limit

more directly the discretion

of the judiciary in imposing sentences when the public interest is involved? The answer is given un-equivocally in The Future of Sentencing, published last week by the influential Institute of Criminology at Cambridge University. In it, Andrew Ashworth, editor of The Criminal Law Review, says: "The time has surely come to dismantle the barriers between penal policy and sentencing policy: both should equally be the con-

cern of the government". He acknowledges strength of the taboo against such intervention. The taboo insists that the development of sentencing policy be left to the wisdom of the courts under the guidance of the Court of Appeal.

The principle which has been enunciated on countless

occasions, was accepted by the Commons Expenditure Committee when it said: "The starting point of our dis-cussion must be recognition of the constitutional position of the judiciary as independent of the executive arm of the government and the legislature. This means that it would not be appropriate for the Home Office to tell the judges what to do, even if the result of the judicial activity were to threaten the breakdown of the prison

sentencing reform. No fewer than five official reports in the last few years have called for change, not least to ensure shorter sentences for run of the mill offenders.

Arguing that there is in fact no constitutional barrier to legislative intervention in sentencing, Dr Ashworth says the legislature might enunciate certain general principles (as has already been done in the case of drunken driving) and leave the courts to apply them in individual cases. The legislature could deter-

mine how much an offender's previous record should affect length of sentence. And there might be provisions to help determine the extent to which sentences should be based on the harman article dors have a defeated. actually done by an offender as distinct from the amount of harm he intended. In some respects the Court

of Appeal provides a model for possible action of a similar nature by the legis-lature. In one of his judg-ments, Lord Justice Lawton set out the various factors which might make an offence of unlawful sexual intercourse with a girl under 16 more or less serious. Dr Ashworth says: "There seems little reason why the same course should not be adopted by the legislature, if gradations developed by the courts should be altered". Once the taboo had been xorcised, he says, the work of an official sentencing policy - "without which an official penal policy can be reduced to mere puff" — can begin. The task of formulating aspects of sentenc-ing policy should in the first instance go to a committee or commission. Sentencing policy ought to be a matter for

But Dr Ashworth con-cludes: "Recent experience has shown that to declare a particular penal policy without taking steps to ensure that the sentencing policy of the courts accords with that penal policy is likely to lead to little change".

Peter Evans Home Affairs Correspondent

The Government is making to persuade popular opinion a determined effort to head that £8,000m is not an off opposition to its intended inordinately large amount, £8,000m acquisition. It is that it is certainly not a lot to boots and buildings. So the Mr Papandreou, finding Greece a tricky ship to steer

Mario Modiano assesses Greek prospects four months after the Socialists took over

Mr Andreas Papandreou envisages for Greece differs both from social democracy which, in his view, simply aspires to give the existing system a cosmetic facelift, and from East block socialism which bogs down under a centralized bureaucracy.

Addressing officials of his centres of government power

are trying to restructure jobs in state enterprises are society through democratic assigned to party men, processes". He hopes, in unions and farmer cooperafact to make this third-road tives are under siege, and socialism a model for other provincial government is countries in Europe and being reshaped But before his formula, forces have been mollified by based on drastic decentraliza- a largely untraumatic change

pation, can be exported, it generous, index-linked hous-must be shown to work at ing allowance that has put bome. The Prime Minister seems determined to hasten in the civil service pay scales. slowly and has drawn a line Where Mr Papandreou has between what the Govern- chosen to follow the feasible ment finds feasible and what rather than the desirable is in Pasok considers desirable. Above all, Mr Papandreou is trying to avoid a collision.

course with the powers-thatbe — what he calls the economic oligarchy, the military, President Karamanlis, and the Americans. incongruous effort to stick to What the Government Priority is being given to its socialist teaching while appears to have in mind is consolidating his power.

Mrs Thatcher

relives her

Sahara fears

Margaret Thatcher was in tears

last night recalling her fears for

her son Mark while he was lost on the Trans-Sahara car rally. In

an extraordinarily frank interview with BBC presenter Pete

Murray on his late night show on

Radio 2 Mrs Thatcher said: "I

was very frightened that Mark

and his team might have had an accident and be somewhere where nobody could find them. If he was lost, the Sahara is not the

best place to be.
"Your life flashes before you

and you really stand on the brink, then, you think the worst and you think, 'if only it's all right I don't think I'll have any

worries personally, if only it's all

rely on the press and radio for news — including the fact that the first reports that Mark had

been found were not true.

She realized then that all the

little things people worried about really were not worth it. "As the poet said," she confided, "one clear morn is boon enough for

My office is in the Murdoch Building on Grays Inn Road in the Clerkenwell section of Lon-

don. On Sundays it has the restful atmosphere of a funeral chapel and something the same smell. I went up to see what mail

there was. The room was empty of everything but one filing

being born', and so it is."

Private eyetul

Mrs Thatcher said she had to

Her captain changes course, The brand of socialism that taking advantage of the sea, Mr Andreas Papandreou the winds and visibility." The Government's ship, four and a half months after setting sail, is definitely off-course. But even if, occasionally, the charts get blurred, there is no mistaking the destination.
The aim is to conquer the

POLARIS: 1967-1995

preparing both a restatement

of the case for Trident.

reiterating the arguments for

a submarine-launched ballis-tic missile follow-on to the

the £5,000m which has al-

ways been cited up to now. Presumably these will accompany the official an-

purpose of which seems to be

Range: 2,500 miles

Pasok party as "comrades", he said recently: "Ours is the third road to socialism. We service is being purged, top At the same time the armed

the officers two rungs higher the economy and foreign affairs. The economy is the Government's main chal-lenge. Having inherited empty coffers, a 25 per cent inflation rate and stagnant production, it is making an

me the story.

them in backyards.

they called him.

urging increased private in-

cabinet and a carpet that was just

something on the floor. On the

carpet was a piece of paper. I

It was a letter posted in Puebla, Mexico on February 27. The

scrawl on the bottom said it came

from Edward S Sirbaugh. It told

For 10 years this Sirbaugh has

been looking for a long lost picture. Ten years he has been digging hard, and coming up with

fists full of air. The picture had to be rare. It is a portrait of an

ordinary looking jasper by one Alvaro Guevara, called "Chile"

because that was where he came from. This Chile was kind of careless, always leaving paintings

behind losing them, or burning

The man in the picture Sirbaugh wants found is a nice enough fellow in an ingenious

enough reliew in an ingenious sort of way, but kind of tough. They had the meat wagon following him around to follow up on the corpses he created. "Choke-a-Chapter" Chandler

In the picture Chandler is standing very straight before an open window. He wears white gloves, for medical reasons says

Sirbaugh. Maybe he had dirty fingernails. There he is — a shop-soiled Galahad. Behind him Los

Angeles, a hard-boiled place with ugly-homes and no style. Beyond that the cool blue sweep of the Pacific.

Sirbaugh thinks I am a real dick and not just any shamus. This picture has been missing 30 years. He would like me to find it. I patted my filing cabinet. "Brother", I said, "you and me both"

leant down and picked it up.



Papandreou: a vast reserve of goodwill. ondering about the nature. of the Government's plan to on western loans. 'socialize" big industry.

Mr Papandreou said re-

We never used the word 'nationalization'. What we mean is that private initiative has the leading role, but big enterprises will be placed under social control, without taking them over".
What the Government

something akin to West Germany's Aufsichtsrate

cils have yet to be defined and the new law on investment incentives has not yet been produced. Even when all this has been sorted out, the uncer-

tainty is likely to persist: the Government has singled out 1982 as a freak year for the economy. It is in 1983, it says, that the first truly socialist orientated five-year plan will be launched. It is hard to see how private enterprise will be lured into the game before it knows all Deterring any economic

experiment that could upset western bankers is the Government's need for up to £1,500m this year to cover the deficit on the country's external account. After the overtures to the Arabs to secure an avalanche of petrodollars, it must rely entirely

These economic con-straints have already caused cently: "we are not dogmatic. deviations from Pasok's desirable course. At the same time, the Greek obsession with Turkey's presumed Turkey's presumed aggressiveness seems to be deflecting the Government from radical changes in foreign policy. Papandreou's

Government has not yet pulled Greece out of Nato and the EEC, nor closed the

If Mr

support, or political comfort. Hence its demand to Nato and the Americans to guarantee the inviolability of its borders with Turkey as a condition for remaining in the alliance; and its call to the Americans for a balanced supply of arms to Greece and Turkey as the price for letting their bases stay.

whether for arms, diplomatic

Pasok's anti-EEC battlecries have a somewhat hollow echo today while the Government is seeking to obtain a more favourable status within the Community — which also affords it a greater sense of political All these departures from

orthodox Pasok teaching are being indulged in behind a flurry of verbal sabre-rattling, of flamboyant openings to the Arabs and the Soviet block, as well as a systematic flouting of western concen-sus — but were mainly over such secondary issues for Greece as sanctions over Poland and Israel's annexation of the Golan Heights. Such extravaganzas help

mitigate the disillusionment of impatient Pasok supporters who always thought the party was above compromises of expediency.

These accommodations will said in an interview. "A ship setting out of Piraeus for cent) have already drastically big industry in line with destination on a beeline. Greek businessman is still state participation that try to nuclear stockpiles, this is mainly because it has had to come to terms with the fact that Greece's security relies to that Greece's security relies to completely on the West, and in repentance.

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trying to make a deal with Turkey, it has stiffened its attitude towards Ankara both on Cyprus and territorial rights in the Aegean. For the time being Mr Papandreou appears to be

The Government is cer-

tainly working hard in this

lessening this dependence by

steering a cautious course between the pressures from the left for greater iconoclasm and the evident concern of the right over the take-over of the state machine by the party and the acrobatics in foreign affairs. But for all these contradic-

tions and a mood of disillusionment, Mr Papandreou can still count on a vast reserve of tolerance, even goodwill, that extends be-yond the 48 per cent of the electorate which voted for him — whether because of the pristine nationalism that is diffused through his foreign policy, or because some of the social reforms he advocates were long overdue. Even those who disagree with Mr Papandreou's claim

that his Government offers Greece its "last democratic chance" will concede that the defeated Conservatives have yet to learn much about their new role in the opposition.

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The 1982 Michelin guide to France will sadly disappoint Richard Binns, author of French Leave and France weeks ago Binns

Magazine about six restaurants he tipped to win two stars. and who can be expected to win their third stars this year."
Alas, PHS can reveal that when the new Michelin goes on sale

Roc at Champagnac de Belait near Brantôme) is among the seven promoted to two stars. à la Carte. Seven There are six new one stars in Paris, but the main feature is restaurants all over France who are shedding stars like the wrote in The Sunday Times Perseids. Among those to see theirs fall are the Carlton at Cannes and the Grill de l'Hôtel de Paris. Monte Carlo.

Mixed diets

My note last Monday about the rapacious appetites of some patients in British hospitals reminded Gwendoline Nutman of some cuttings from The Times which she has treasured for 50 They are a report from our

Trieste correspondent and a fourth leader concerning an Italian labourer who swallowed 15 pencils, five fountain pens, four penknives, 13 ordinary keys, one large door key, a screw, a sardine tin opener, a safety razor holder, two needles, a piece of glass, four 2 lire coins, one 50 centesimi com and a key chain.

Our leader writer noted that this feat did not entitle him to claim for Italy the blue riband in hardware swallowing, as that had been won for America two years previously by a young woman appropriately named Wolf. After working a week in a Manhattan store she yielded to the surgeon's skill a total af 1,203 items consumed in the course of her duties. They included a collapsible coathanger and 728 tacks. Wolf said she supposed she had

next week it will be found that there are no new three star restaurants, and that only one of

Binn's selections (the Moulin du

Wagner's overture to Die Meistersinger was the first music to be played at the new Barbican Centre. To those who thought that this was a gesture of thanks to the Germans for clearing the site, PHS is obliged to offer a more factual explanation. The true reason was that it was also the first piece performed by the London Symphony Orchestra London Symphony when founded in 1904.

Gore, gorier

done it to be funny.

Ken Livingstone's men are about to paint the town red. Surpris-ingly scant attention has been paid to a decision last week by the GLC's transport committee to

of bus lane in inner London the GLC leader's favourite colour. Streets affected include Brompton Road, Kensington High Street, Baker Street, High Holborn, Kingsway, Kensington Gore and the Albert Embankment. Work will start within a few weeks. Eventually it is intended that the majority of the 150 permanent bus lanes throughout London shall be similarly

rouged.
Paul Moore, the GLC transport committee vice-chairman, said the scheme should ease the way for buses as "drivers will be able to sec at a glance that they have of the GLC's thinking, of course, that red is the colour of warning.

Unwritten story

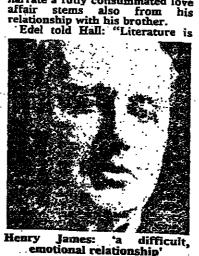
The novelist and playwright Henry James and his philosopher brother William are on the cover the current issue of the formightly Gay News. They are there to announce a scholarly piece in which the American writer, Richard Hall, argues that the brothers present a strange case of homosexual incest. It is a theory Hall has been encouraged to publish by Professor Leon Edel, who has spent half a century studying Henry James, editing his letters and writing and revising his biography. Edel says it is quite clear that Henry James did have a singular attachment to his "ideal elder brother", and accepts the

elder brother", and accepts the chain of cyidence Hall presented to him as "convincing." Edel finds the word "incest" confusing as applied to males within a family, and considers

precise. He admits the subject ias been neglected and is only implicit in his volumes of biography. "If I were writing these volumes today I would indeed make much more of this." Hall, contributing books editor of The Advocate, an American homosexual news magazine, claims that Henry James's "difficult, emotional and probably incestuous relationship with his brother William's accounted for his sexual inactivity in maturity; that William's marriage, which Henry regarded as the emotional equivalent of a divorce between them, marked an artistic turning point for the writer who "maintained a core of the female identity William had created for him" in his fictional heroines; and that Henry's inability to

narrate a fully consummated lov

"homosexual emotion"



filled with this kind material ... if you opened it up it will be a great contribution." It was Henry James himself who started a short story: "Never say you know the last word about any

Mystery tour

Discovering that the houses in her home village were individually postcoded, Charlotte Glascock tried sending a letter to her parents addressed only with the code. The letter went to the right county, but was sent to five towns with completely different postcodes before being returned by a bewildered Post Office. The envelope had been franked with the words: "Remember to use the post-code".

Ouiz answers

 Nicholas Edwards, Secretary of State for Wales, wore a St David's Day daffodil when apologizing to Alec Jones, MP, for suggesting that he might have been drinking. 2. Company directors, in the 12 months to September 1981, according to a Charterhouse

Group survey.
3. In South Africa. Boycott appeared as Ranjitsinjhi and Emburey as a KKK man at the Emburey as a KKK man at the cricketers' fancy dress Christmas party in India.

4. Dylan Thomas, whose memorial plaque in Poets' Corner is beside that of George Eliot.

5. The Barbican Centre, which the Queen called another wonder of the world, was opened with a firework display.

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TRIDENT'S FOURTH DIMENSION

The Cabinet will very shortly the 1964 election campaign us not less but more money be asked to approve a was the same Mr Wilson who because we would be support-recommendation from the pushed through the secret ing a unique system. The Defence Secretary, Mr John Chevaline warhead Nott, that Britain should buy gramme in the mid 1970s. But the Trident D-5 nuclear ballis today Labour threatens to the indestruction maintain Bri-scrap all nuclear weapons in a persuasive: Our Chevaline tain's independent nuclear gesture of woolly unilateradeterrent into the twenty-first lism, and neither the Social century: This is a profoundly Democrats nor Liberals important decision.

The D5 missile, which President Reagan has decided will be introduced in the early which Britain had already and Britain's security into the decided to buy but which will next century.

not now be made in the The Times supported the build States after 1984. It Government's has nearly double the range, that submarines carrying it have a bigger area te hide. It is more accurate. It will have up to 14 warheads by comparison with the eight in the C-4 and three in Polaris. It requires, therefore, a much bigger submarine, as large as 18,750 tons displacement by comparison with the submarines of 10-12,000 ton. displacement required tocarry C-4. So naturally the D-5 is more expensive. The current guesses, whose impli-cations are discussed in an article on the facing page, are that over 15 years Britain will have to spend at least £7-8 billion in acquiring the missile, building four submarines, manufacturing the warheads. and supporting the Trident

force.

But a decision on D-5 does more than merely inflate the: moral, military and economic arguments about Britain's but again it is a very serious independent nuclear deter prospect to take the risk that rent. It adds a fourth dimen- at some future date we might sion, and this lies in the be faced with the extinction unique political vulnerability of these islands when in of a choice for D-5 when it is return we might only be able made by a Government in to threaten a few cities. The mid-term in the absence of prospect is horrible, of anything approaching a politi- course, but that is the strategy consensus on what, if anything, should succeed Britain's Polaris-Chevaline.

Eight postwar Governments have maintained the British deterrent with at least acquiescence from the official Opposition. The Harold Wilson who opposed Sir Alec Douglas-Home on the issue in with C-4 will in the end cost

David Wood

occasion

The Budget:

still a topping

Economists and economics commentators seldom tell us

commencators semont ten us should be properly reckoned a pathetic fallacy or a piece of mummery staged annually merely

to entertain a rabble excluded by

their immuneracy from the great mystery of economic manage-ment. This year, in fact, we arrive at D-Days minus one

without any mention of the argument aball.

Cabinet ministers, backbench specialists in M1 and M3, academics, commentators, TUC, CBI, and rival party spokesmen agog for the moment when the Chancellor opens the last Budget but one heaves the last Budget

but one before the next general election and either saves his

party's bacon or cooks its goose.

By general consent, Budget day is once again a big national occasion, a magificent opening

night, the Grand National, or the

question remaining is whether Sir Geoffrey Howe will break a lifetime's habit and, showing himself a positive Olivier of the

Once, of course there was

something in the argument that Budget days were non-occasions

that perhaps did more to mislead

than to guide. Nobody could expound it with more brilliance

and pith than Peter Jay, our

admired old colleague at Printing

House Square and once a treasury

high flyer. It was a time when no

Budget could live out a year, when Chancellors were bringing in supplementary amending bud-

gets to the House of Commons in

Sir, I refer to the recent

correspondence in your columns.

concerning the sale of an Ealing high school to the Church of England.

Prior to my appointment as head of this newly established Church of England comprehensive high school in Ealing, I served in three other Church of England.

England secondary schools, in

which there were pupils of different ethnic, cultural and religious backgrounds, and all three schools were at some stage, if not also were at some stage,

if not always, oversubscribed.

The attraction of applying for the post of first Headteacher of the new Ealing Church of England

High School was that it too reflected the environment it

The admissions policy, the only

one the governors have ever had, was quite clearly stated in the

letter sent out by the Ealing Education Office to parents

served.

Ethnic education

From Mr Kenneth Reeves

Treasury, rise to it

Euro Song Contest. The only

favour Trident and certainly not Trident D-5. There is more. than the makings of an expensive muddle here. There 1990s, is significantly differ is a threat to the continuity of ent from the Trident C4 fundamental defence policy

> Government's original decision to buy Trident C-4 on many grounds. There seems to us no piety in sheltering behind an American bomb, no common prudence in presuming on American protection for the next 40 years in all sorts of unimaginable circumstances, and no wisdom in giving up the deterrent without any trade off from the Soviet Union. The arguments for a submarine-based missile are overwhelming and the cost of C-4, though high, is no greater than that of 200 tanks. The Soviet Union with 50,000 tanks is not going to be deterred by our adding to our 650 with another 200 or so. The cruise missile, which is canvassed as an alternative, is not a strategic weapon and Polaris - Cheveline option is vulnerable to developments in Soviet defensive systems.

The Trident is arguably a bigger deterrent than we need of deterrence and it has kept the peace for nearly 40 years. Most of these arguments support D-5 as well as C-4, but the case has to be made for it and it is crucially in the national interest that it wins wide support. It has to be demonstrated that continuing

generation to come. July, before their spring Budget the very end. Maudling, who had reached Royal Assent as a always had a robust mind of his Finance Act; and then bringing in own, decided to make his Budget Finance Act; and then bringing in another supplementary in the autumn. Second-thought budgets became ten a penny, not least under Mr Healey.

Yet at Westminster the spring Budget day has always kept its special place. The late Sir Gerald Nabarro, more a showman than a Commons traditionalist, was (I think) the last backbencher to observe the Victorian custom of appearing in the House for the occasion wearing top hat and morning coat, with a fine flower-ing of cravat. Nevertheless, even in less formal or sloppier days, everybody in the chamber and in the crowded galleries treated Budget day with a special Gladstonian awe, because they felt themselves to be in top hat circumstances. In a sense they still do, beneath the casual clothes. At the least, it is always a government showpiece.

Chancellors of the Exchequer have always taken the chance to act it up to catch the atmosphere. "Rab" Butler may be taken as an example. William Armstrong, one of the Treasury's Budget team, once told me that he and his colleagues stood appalled to see "Rab" at his desk slicing their "Rab" at his desk slicing their exquisitely balanced speech into strips and them pasting down the strips into a different order, fracturing the Treasury's sense of logic. The civil servants protested "What you don't know and I do," Butler said in effect, "is that the Hous of Commons on Budget day has a logic that is not Budget day has a logic that is not Treasury logic." Let civil servants stick to their business and he, as politician, would stick to his. Every Budget has a "Rab"—that is, political—element in it.

Reggie Maudling, as Chancel-lor, characteristically broke with a hallowed tradition. On the pretext that a Chancellor, rising soon after 3.30 pm, must say nothing to influence the City while it works, a Budget speech

that application for admission to the school will be open to all children. In the event of oversubscription preference will be given to children of Anglican families and to children of other Christian parents. Other criteria for preference will be sibling relationships, special factors (medical and social) and ease of access."

I am certain that, should the school become oversubscribed, the governors would wish the school to continue to reflect to a considerable extent the multi-racial, multi-faith environment in which the school exists and that this would constitute one of the special "social factors" in the criteria for admission.

It has been my experience that parents representative of faiths other than Christianity often deliberately opt for a Church of England school, because they know that in such a school religion and worship will be taken seriously within an atmos-phere of mutual respect and

making a choice of high school
for September 1987. The Governors of Twyford Church of
England High School have agreed

toleration.
It is our policy at Twyford
High School to nourish the faith
of children from Christian
homes, to encourage those with toleration.

ing a unique system. The argument that we benefit by what is called commonality with the Americans is programme originally esti-mated at £250 million has ended up costing us a billion

But the evidence for D-5 in terms of economics will have to be more than anecdotal. And the costs have to be clearly spelled out. Our record in building our own submarines is good and the American record on building missile systems on time and on cost is good. But we must have a bargain basement price with as few percentage costs as it is possible to negotiate.

If the case for D-5 on cost can be proved — and it will be proved if it does emerge as only 3 per cent of our defence budget or 6 per cent of our equipment budget - then the ground shifts. Choosing C-4 spends money a lot sooner than D-5. By the time of the next election only £75 million will have been spent on D-5. And here is the heart of the political dilemma. A new government would find it hard to escape the C-4 commitment and justify wasting the many millions more that would have been spent on C-4. But a new Government might well be tempted to write off or fudge £75 million on an as yet unbuilt D-5 system. To go for C-4 new on these grounds is political defeatism and it is economically questionable.
This is why the Government must try to enlarge the political base for its militarily sensible choice of D-5. It will never win the unilateralist left but it must win the hard centre. A fait accompli reduces the hopes for that. Mrs Thatcher may in the end have to go it alone politically but she would be well advised to issue a full defence sum-mary on Trident at the earliest opportunity so that there is at least a chance of an emerging consensus on an issue fundamental to the

speech according to his own sense of logic; and no Budget speech in my time has been delivered with a more off-hand mastery, almost with an appearance of a string of throwaway

Some post-war Chancellors have been considerable stylists. actors, or - men of marked character. For lucid presentation and skills of advocacy it would be hard to match Sir Stafford Cripps; and Hugh Gaitskell, who Cripps; and Hugh Gaitskell, who followed him, showed the first certain signs of the strengths that would bring him to his party's leadership. Butler, the complete politician, brought style and subtle nuances to everything he touched, and Harold Macmillan had a wonderful time teasing Labour with his introduction of premium, bonds, which were premium bonds, which were damned as part of the Conserva-tives' casino society but still, after four Labour governments,

soldier on. In worsening times, Heathcoat Amory and Selwyn Lloyd lacked confidence, or perhaps personal authority; and Peter Thorney-croft failed when he resigned. rather unpolitically, over a third of the £150m of cuts the three Treasury ministers demanded

For my part, looking down the arches of the years, I am impetitently a defender of Budget day as a national institution, or as part of the national theatre, and it is agreeable that nobody price of progress in this spring (the timing as a rite Yours sincerely, surviving from a pastoral era. WALTER PERRY, Nye Bevan used to say) wants to dismiss it as meaningless or irrelevant. The Budget may not be the Government's last word in 1982 on managing the economy, but year in and year out it continues to bring Parliament to its near best. It is, above all, what the House of Commons exists for, and in a free market I would swap a lot of academic economists for one Chancellor or even one backbench politician.

other religious beliefs and practices and to challenge those with no particular faith to explore the possibility of a spiritual dimen-sion to life. Your readers may be interested to know that in addition to Christian acts of worship, a diwali festival was held last term. Religious edu-cation in the school is concerned with Christianity and the other major religions of the world and with the moral and social issues within society that affect all of us, irrespective of cultural

I believe the new Church of England school in Ealing will, like the other church schools in which I have served, make a which significant contribution towards difficult. Where, however, the fulfilling one of its declared aims, circumstances of the accident, fulfilling one of its declared aims, which is "to bring about greater understanding between people of different social backgrounds, ethnic origins and religious experience. Yours faithfully.

KENNETH REEVES, Headmaster. Twyford Church of England High School, Twyford Crescent, March 3.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Budget choices: the case for a 'significant' expansion

From Sir Ian Gilmour, MP for Chesham and Amersham (Conservative)

prices, by wage costs, and by the Government's own policy particularly on indirect taxation and the Sir, In his article "Sir Ian's cynical prescription for surren-

der" (March 6), my parliamentary colleague Stephen Hastings makes a number of unargued makes a number of unargued assertions: my proposals for the economy are "clearly designed as expedients... to win general elections"; I believe "all that is necessary is to interpret the wishes of the electors and appear to follow them"; "it is not really economics which guide" me, etc. etc. According to Mr Hastings, I am "hiding" behind predictions of the Treasury model based on stupid assumptions which I have fed into it — "garbage in, garbage out", he says. Mr Hastings also suggests that I regard much of what has recently happened to the British economy

as inevitable. He is mistaken on every count. I do not regard the recent unprecedented rate of decline in the British economy as at all inevitable. The policy I propose stems not from a cynical calculation about electoral prospects but from dismay at the consequences of the policies followed up till now and near-despair at the prospects for the country if they are not changed before long.

I made it clear in my article in The Daily Telegraph from which Mr Hastings quoted that the British people's attitude to the economy seemed to me to be right. Like you, Sir, in your two recent leading articles (February 25 and March 6) on the forthcoming Budget, Stephen Hastings did not think unemployment waysthy of even a passing men-I made it clear in my article in worthy of even a passing men-tion. The electors, in contrast, seem to believe according to the opinion polls that the present very high level of unemployment is unnecessary and intolerable. In this they are, I believe, wiser than either you or Mr Hastings.

But my view that with three million unemployed there should be a significant but initially moderate fiscal stimulus does not depend in any way on the Treasury model. I have only used that model to show that my proposals would benefit output, jobs and prices, even if the economy functions as the Treasury believes it does.

Contrary to Mr Hastings's belief, the extent to which people buy government stock when there is a budget deficit is not something which I fed into the Treasury model but something which that model predicts -based, let us hope, on a careful analysis of past experience.

I do indeed believe that the Government would not have to raise interest rates if a more expansionary fiscal policy caused expansionary fiscal policy caused Government policies output will public borrowing to be higher. grow only slowly from a low The money supply would be level, with GDP up by about 1 per higher than otherwise, but that cent in 1982. How much value would be the natural concomitant of there being more national income, the very thing I am trying to achieve.

that inflation is The idea money supply can no longer be in harness with a modest and seriously defended. The rate of price increases is, I believe, determined by world commodity Budget and some of this benefit

Sir, The article by Richard North in your issue of February 16 ascribes to me a statement that is

wholly misleading. In discussion with Mr North I said that a reformed Cruelty to Animals Act could arrange for the scrutiny by a statutory body of experiments already performed. I did not agree to the scrutiny in this way of

to the scrutiny in this way of "potential experiments", as the next statement ascribed to me

I made it very clear to Mr North that there was no way of telling in advance which experi-ments would add to the sum of

human knowledge and which could not, so that it would always

be impossible to ban experiments

in advance on the ground that they were useless. The fact that

many (probably not as many as 99 per cent) turned out not to add significantly to the sum of human

knowledge was an inevitable price of progress in research.

Chairman of Council, Research Defence Society,

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The Open University,

No-claim bonus

From Mr R. E. Hutt

February 22.

Animal experiments

From Lord Perry

clearly indicated.

prices nationalized industries have to charge. This view is confirmed, not confuted as Mr Hastings would have us believe, by the 1973 experience. Does Stephen Hastings really believe that the 1974-5 inflation had nothing to do with the increase in the price of oil and other commodities, nor with the threshold scheme which by an extraordinary piece of ill luck magnified both the scale and the speed of the response of wages to those events?

The Treasury model gave what I believe to be the correct answer: that fiscal expansion based on cutting taxes on industry combined with lower interest rates would result in less inflation not more, even though the money supply was slightly

Stephen Hastings does not seem to rely on any careful examination of the evidence. He bases his argument not on facts but on random allegations from which he draws unwarranted inferences, which are in turn supported by an improbable mixture of faith, hope and dubious history. If I may adopt his graphic phraseology, it is not a case with his views of "garbage in, garbage out", but of "garbage I am. Sir, your obedient servant, IAN GILMOUR. House of Commons.

From Lord Carr of Hadley

March 7.

Sir, One of the most imaginative measures now under discussion to revitalise British industry as it climbs slowly out of recession must be the Government's new training initiative. A better trained, motivated and adaptable young workforce can only help to improve industry's ability to compete, which, it is now generally agreed across the political spectrum, is at the heart of our current problems.

Rightly, in my view, the employers organisations have given their wholehearted support to the initiative. The scheme has been described as a tremendous challenge to employers and one which must have their support if, as we hope, every young person in Britain eventually is to have the opportunity for proper preparation for work. How are business and industry

expected to give the full support which the scheme deserves when their profitability is so low and when there is so little sign of any real improvement? On present can be obtained from the better trained people we would all like to see when there isn't enough activity in the economy to employ them? Surely Governi determined by changes in the cies must be seen to be advanced

channelled into new training. A virtuous circle, as one might say? Yours faithfully, ROBERT CARR, House of Lords.

From Mr J. H. Hooper

Sir, I have read the recent correspondence in *The Times* concerning the wish to cut income tax, and the urgent need to revive manufacturing industry. I believe that there are many who have not yet been made aware of the plight of much of the engineering manufacturing base in this county, the survival of which is critical to the future prosperity of the country.
It is true that we would all like

to see income tax reduced and this would obviously have some demand effect upon industry, but this is not the priority. The burdens which have weighed most heavily upon manufacturing industry have been the prolonged high interest rates, leading to heavy destocking and escalating manufacturing costs, together with the subsequent effect upon

the sterling exchange rate. It does not appear to be generally known that the gross effect of wage inflation and the strengthening of sterling against the Deutschemark, our principal European competitive currency, has been of the order of 25 per cent over the past three years, reducing dramatically the ability of United Kingdom manufac-turers to compete in Europe this at a time when many manufacturing plants are working at around 50 per cent of their

capacity.
It is, therefore, iniquitous that, added to these burdens, there should be a tax on jobs, known as the National Insurance surcharge, as well as soaring business rates and energy costs which are out of line with our European competitors'. The Chancellor's priorities must be to remove the National Insurance surcharge, to reduce interest rates (even with some risk) with its knock-on effect on sterling exchange rates, and to bring energy costs into line with our competitors'.

Yours faithfully, J. HARRY HOOPER nairman and Managing Director, Armstrong Equipment Limited. Gibson Lane, Melton, North Ferriby, North Humberside.

February 24.

From Mr John Fingleton Sir, In the early 1970s the price of oil rocketed. Result: enormous problems for the then Chancelor, and thus the nation's economy. In the early 1980s the price of oil — including, by now, our own — is tumbling. Result: enormous problems for the Chancellor, and thus, apparently, the nation's economy. What is the lesson to be learned, other than perhaps "plus ca change..."? Yours faithfully.

JOHN FINGLETON, 96 Warnford Court, 29 Throgmorton Street, EC2. March 3.

whose responsibility is the promotion of foreign travel to Britain. This agency's evidence — 9 Poland Street, W1.

and more particularly cross-examination — on such matters might be expected to become a key point in the public inquiry, not least because it is known that Clergy's rewards

From the Reverend P. E. Nixon their expert views on tourism forecasts differ from those of the

> words of our Lord than St. Matthew's "Blessed are the poor in spirit". If we take this seriously, it means that to give the clergy more pay would not advance the kingdom of God, and may even retard it. With my stipend and family income supplement I receive more money than many of my parishioners, and more than the supplementary benefit rates imply that I need. To have more money so as to be able to be more generous, might

I know that this may sound naîve or self-righteous, but there are parishioners who have less than I, and who speak of the joys of creation; they consider the liles, quite without affectation, and I find this quite humbling. There is a peace of God which passes understanding; but it is not to be purchased by asking for an increased income. an increased income.

PHILLIP NIXON, Curate of St. Wilfrid's, Halton, 67 Morritt Drive,

From Mr C. W. Hodgkinson published February 24) with Oscar Wilde (in "The Decay of Lying" published in Intentions, 1891)?

Michael Winner: "To believe that if you cut dramatic reconstructions of unpleasant aspects of life from movies life will itself become sweeter and less violent is optimistic in the extreme."

"Life imitates art far more than art imitates life." Surely Wilde's words apply

Yours faithfully. 23 Grand Parade,

Price of gas

Sir, In his letter (March 1), Mr Bishop complains about the loss of his no-claim bonus on his Motor Insurance premium, A suitcase had been stolen from his car, and he has been told that if the insurers pay, his no-claim bonus would be stopped. Quite

right.

He goes on to say "I thought that loss of a bonus was to penalize the guilty party in an be frozen. accident". No, not entirely, it is a no-claim bonus not a no-blame bonus. In any case trying toestablish who is to blame in many motor accidents is an impossible problem when reading the reports of each motorist concerned. How they were in the same town at the same time is almost as companies. honestly admitted, show one driver to be unquestionably in the wrong, providing an undis-puted right of recovery against him, the insurers would normally

his claim in full. Yours faithfully, R. E. HUTT, 2 Grosvenor House, Grosvenor Road, Coventry. March 2.

allow the no-claim bonus, and pay

Predicting air traffic

From the Director of the Council for the Protection of Rural England

Sir, The public inquiry at Stansted into the British Airports Stansted into the British Airports
Authority's (BAA) proposal for a
third London airport has now
been in progress for almost six
months. It is increasingly clear
that the Authority's case hangs
critically on predictions of massive increases over the coming decades in air traffic for leisure purposes. Indeed the BAA has contended that of the 70 million passengers expected to require air terminal facilities in the South East in 1990, at least 48 million will be tourists. Beyond that date, leisure traffic becomes

still more significant. What is more, the Authority are stressing that their Stansted proposals are designed specifi-cally to cater for tourist charter

So a great deal turns on whether such projected increases in tourist demand are either inevitable or desirable. If there is doubt about either, the case for a massive Stansted expansion is correspondingly weakened.

No body is better placed to throw light on these matters than another statutory agency, the British Tourist Authority (BTA),

missions to the inquiry, without putting up witnesses for cross-examination. If this proved to be the case, understanding of the assumptions underlying the British Airport Authority's tourism projections would also be weakened.

It is of course principally for BTA to decide for themselves how to present their evidence to the inquiry. But in view of the stakes — thousands of acres of English countryside — a number of other parties have more than a passing interest in any decision they may make.

Yours faithfully. ROBIN GROVE-WHITE. Director, Council for the Protection of Rural England, 4 Hobart Place, SW1. March 5,

From the Chairman of the National Gas Consumers' Council Sir, Government has in the past been tempted to freeze "sensi-tive" prices for a period before an election; and rumour has it that next year might be no exception, that gas prices might

It has always been incomprehensible that a government dedicated to the operation of market forces should dictate prices charged to consumers by the British Gas Corporation, especially in light of the Government view that nationalised industries should behave more like independent private sector

However, the Government claims that the recent series of rises have brought gas prices up to their current economic level. If so, what would a freeze serve (in a time of inevitable rising costs) but to start another cycle of artificially speeded-up price increases in order to catch up on the lean year? Such increases would, presumably, begin to hit shortly after the election and to repeat in the years ahead the pains already inflicted on gas consumers since 1980.

Smaller, slower, price increases and price stability would be welcome, always provided that prices relate to costs. It is too easy for BGC to overlook the need for self-analysis about costs and cost inefficiency, when the Government backs a policy of passing costs straight through

into prices.

It also follows that NGCC is powerless to defend gas con-sumers in the important area of prices because these are dictated by Government. If pricing be-comes the responsibility of BGC, we can get into the arena with a visible protagonist which would give us the chance to analyse, argue and negotiate fair but

realistic pricing.
I wish I could welcome a freeze but it is no good sacrificing long-term stability to short-term popularity. When one catches up on a financial loss after a lean year, it is necessary to recoup more than the money lost by under-pricing. The under-pricing itself generates so many additional costs.

Yours faithfully, SHEILA P. BLACK, Chairman, National Gas Consumers' Council. . 130 Jermyn Street, SW1.

March 4.

Oxfordshire. Lead in petrol From Mr Brian Price

Yours sincerely.

JOHN WILTON,

Wilmere Lodge,

Middleton Stoney.

Arab use of oil

From Sir John Wilton Sir, Dr Kissinger complains, in

the extract from his memoirs

which you publish today (March 4) that "some of our allies were asking for preferential treatment

from the Arabs for having disavowed our Middle East pol-

icy". The immediate cause of the

Arab use of the oil embargo in

1973 was the American decisions

to airlift arms to Israel and vote

her a \$2 billion credit in the

middle of the fighting. America's allies were not consulted about

that decision; and they were left

to devise what measures they

could to protect their economies

which at that time were far more vulnerable to the embargo than

was the economy of the United

States.
There cannot have been many

occasions when a country's unilateral action caused more far-

reaching damage to its allies than

did that of the United States in October 1973. Indeed it was not one of the finer moments of allied relations.

weapon

criticisms of my energy and of lead in petrol, reported in The Times (February 27). Associated Octel Limited state that extra crude oil requirement, at the refineries, of 430,000 onnes relates to the transition from petrol containing 0.4 grammes of lead per litre to that containing 0.15 g/l. This is true and I used that figure, together with other industry data, to

Sir. I write in response to

derive a gross figure of 1.02 million tonnes of extra crude required for the complete transition to lead-free fuel.

The net amount of extra crude required will be considerably less than this. As your correspondent rightly points out, the by-products of more severe refining do not simply disappear but can be used for other industrial purposes. Indeed, some of them can even be used as fuels in vehicles. The net extra crude requirement works out at some 260,000 tonnes — a figure considerably smaller than the energy savings possible from the

use of lead free fuel.

The purpose of my study was to determine whether or not the energy savings traditionally attri-buted to leaded petrol were real. However, one wonders whether arguments about gaining or losing a few hundred thousand tonnes of oil are worth engaging in when the mental performance of so many of our children is at stake. Before this study was believed that the expenditure of this small amount of oil was worth while, in public health terms. The results of this analysis completely vindicate our position that lead should not be added to petrol.

Yours faithfully, BRIAN PRICE, Pollution Consultant, Friends of the Earth Limited,

Sir, Recent articles and letters in The Times may have given your readers the impression that the It is surprising, in the circumstances, that the BTA appear now clergy are suffering from low to be considering making only the briefest of written submorale and low pay. There is another opinion.

Jesus said "Blessed are you

poor" (Luke 6:20). I believe that this is closer to the original sound attractive, but it would generate an unhealthily paterna-listic attitude in the clergy.

Yours sincerely,

March 1.

Copying the image

Sir, As to censorship, is it pertinent to compare Michael Winner (in a letter to you, Sir,

even more to the arts of film and of TV reporting than to those he knew? C. W. HODGKINSON,

Leigh on Sea, Essex. February 24.



COURT AND **SOCIAL**

Mr R. C. Smith-Ryland and Miss E. S. Dugdale

Julian Rudd officiated.

The bride, who was given in marriage by Sir Richard Rasch, wore a gown of white paper taffeta with appliqued silk roses and a full length veil held in place by a diamond tiara. She carried a posy of roses, lilies-of-the-valley, hyacitaths and orchids. Dominic Rose-Price, James Hickie, Petra Smith-Ryland, the Hop Louisz-Lane Gurdon and

man.
A reception was held at the Shire Hall, Warwick and the honeymoon will be spent abroad.

her. Mr James Leaby, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. A reception was held at Raddon's Hotel and the honey-moon will be spent in the Drakensberg Mountains.

A service of blessing was held on March 6 at All Saints Church, Huntingdon, after the marriage of Commander C. F. Alington

The marriage took place on March 7, 1982, at the Church of the Advent, Boston, between Michael Duvall, 33 Irving Street,

Boston, Massachusetts, and Trudy Yerkel, 72 Cedar Street,

Somerset.
The bride, who was given in

marriage by her father, was attended by Sophie and Marcus

and Mrs Overend, Dr C Phelps Principal, Chelsea College). Pricessor J B Trapp (director, Warburg Institute). Professor H R Loyn (Westfield College): Miss Ruth invine (Library Resources Co-ordinating Committee London University)

Manchester, New Hampshire.

Commander C. F. Alington and Mrs K. R. Luxmore

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Mr M. Duvali and Miss T. Yerkel

COURT
CIRCULAR

BUCKINGHAM PALACE
March 6: The Queen was represented by Lieutenant-Colonel Aidan Sprot of Haystory

The Duke and Duchess of Gloucester will attend a concert to celebrate the 60th birthday of Mr Homi Kanga, leader of the Commonwealth Philharmonic Orchestra, at the Queen Elizabeth Hall, London, on April 4.

The Duke of Gloucester, Grand Prior, the order of St John, will open the St John Ambulance headquarters, Fallowfield, Man-chester, on April 6.

Colonel Aidan Sprot of Haystoun, (Her Majesty's Lord-Lieutenant for Tweeddale) at the Memorial Service for Sir Robert Scott, (for-merly Her Majesty's Lord-Lieutenant for Tweeddale). which was held in the Old Parish Church, Peebles, this

Forthcoming marriages

Mr W. E. H. Joli and the Hon K. M. Howard The engagement is announced between William Evelyn Hinton, son of Mr and Mrs Evelyn Joli, of Pelham Place, London, and Katharine Mary, second daughter of Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, of Colonsay, and Lady Jane Howard.

Dr A. M. Graham and Miss F. P. M. Oatts

The engagement is announced between Alastair, younger son of Sir Norman and Lady Graham, of Longniddry, Fast Lothian, and Fiona, elder daughter of Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs P. M. Oatts, of Kilmelford, Argyll.

The engagement is announced Lady Amy Gordon attended her. between Julian, son of Mr and Mrs Christopher Scott, of Gala, and Alexandra, only daughter of Mr and Mrs A. D. V. Hough, of Shire Hall. Warwick and the

Mr R. Gillis Mr P. J. Leahy
and Miss C. Youngleson
The marriage took place on
Saturday in Natal, South Africa,
between Mr Peter Leahy, elder
son of Sir John and Lady Leahy,
of the British Embassy, Cape
Town, and Miss Clarissa Younand Miss A. Burland The engagement is announced between Richard, elder son of Mr and Mrs Harold Gillis, of Sandy Lodge, Carnoustie, and Anna, daughter of Mr David Burland, and the late Mrs David Burland, of 1 Denewood Avenue, Eirming-Town, and Miss Clarissa Youngleson, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs Michael Youngleson, of Nottingham Road, Natal. Father Stephen Hall officiated.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white silk taffeta and a headdress of white silk flowers. She carried a bouquet of white and pink roses and white gypsophilia. Miss Amanda Youngleson and Dr Michael Youngleson, sisters of the bride, attended her. Mr James Leaby, brother of

Greensted House, Ongar, Essex.

Mr H. J. D. Goodchild and Miss S. R. Gaynor

The engagement is announced between Harold, son of Mr and Mrs D. H. Goodchild, of Avenue Montaigne, Paris, and Sabina, daughter of Mr and Mrs P. J. Gaynor, of Edwardes Square, London, W8.

Mr S. J. Gurr and Miss J. E. Hine

The engagement is announced between Stephen, only son of Mr and Mrs D. Gurr, of Purley, Surrey, and Jamice Elizabeth, only daughter of Mrs D. Loveridge, of Old Basing, Hampshire, and the late Mr W. Hine. Mr M. A. O'N. Wallis and Miss J. C. Stephens

The engagement is announced between Michael Anthony between Michael Anthony O'Neill, elder son of the late Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs Clive O'Neil Wallis, and stepson of O'Neil Wallis, and stepson of Mrs Mary Wallis, of Windiesham, Surrey, and Joanna Chesney, younger daughter of Mr G. L. Stephenson, OBE; and Mrs Stephenson, of Great Chesterford, Saffron Walden, Essex.

Marriages

The marriage took place on Saturday at St Oswald's Church. Malpas, between the Hon Robin

Cayzer, eldest son of Lord

Rotherwick, and the late Lady

Rotherwick, of Cornbury Park,

Charlbury, Oxfordshire, and

Sara, only daughter of Mr R. J.

McAlpine, of Swettenham Hall,

Lúzzow, and Miss Georgina

Swettenham Cheshire and Mrs.

Robinson youngest daughter of R.

Robinson youngest daughter of R. J. McAlpine, of Lower Carden Mrs Robinson, youngest daughter of Hall, Maipas, Cheshire. Canon T. M. Rylands officiated.

The Abstract Carden Mrs Patrick Robinson, of Hall, Maipas, Cheshire. Canon T. Lovington Mill, Castle Cary, Somerser.

mary Tempest, Henrietta Thompson, Anika Sederholm and Lord Edward Spencer-Churchill attended her, and Mr James Devas was best man. est. Henrietta Thomo-Kemp, Stephanie D'Outremont and Felicity and Louise Pilking-ton. Mr Andreas Braunbruch and Count Hardegg were best men. A reception was held at Boodle's Club. A reception was held at Lower Carden Hali.

Memorial service

Dr I., H. Butler Or L. H. Butler
The Archbishop of Canterbury
was represented by Professor
Julian Brown, also representing
King's College and Lambeth
Palace Library Committee, at a
service of thanksgiving for the
life of Dr Lionel Butler held on
Saturday in the Chanel of Pougl Itte of Dr Liones Buller nels on Saturday in the Chapel of Royal Holloway College (London Uni-versity), Egham. The Rev Richard Falkner, honorary chap-lain to the college, officiated. Dr Roy Miller, acting principal, and Miss Jill Reavley read the lessons and Professor J. S. C. Riley-Smith gave an address. Others present included:

present included:

Mrs Builer I widow i Dr Lucilia Builer I daughier! Mrs M Alexander: Sir Owen Saunders and I men Saunders sir Mrs Malexander: Sir Owen Saunders and I men Saunders with Lady Linslead. Mrs Healther Brigstoke, Mrs C M Handley. Dr F Horner, Mr and Mrs A Reed: and Mr and Mrs Anders. Sir Robert Micklethwall. OC. Dame Marjorie Williamson. Dr Alas Belts (representing the Vice-Chancellor of Oriental Micklethwall. OC. Dame Marjorie Williamson. Dr Alas Belts (representing the Vice-Chancellor of Oriental Micklethwall. Oc. Dame Marjorie Williamson. Dr Alas Belts (representing the Micklethwall. Oc. Dame Marjorie Micklethwall. Oc. Dame Marjorie Micklethwall. Oc. Dame Marjorie Micklethwall. Olicyel of Oriental And African Studies). Professor W G Overend (master. Birbock College)

(Westfield College); Miss Ruth Irvine (Library Resources Co-ordinaling Committee, London University)

Professor Donald Watt (St Andrews University). Mr Patrick Neill, OC (warden, All Souls College, Oxford) and Mrs Neill, Dr C. J Tyerman (The Queen's College, Oxford). Mr A M Quinton (president, Trinity College, Oxford). Dr J Green (Queen's University) Britas (Green's University). Sould Resource the College oxford). Mr J Green's University and Mrs Burnell. Mrs University and Mrs Burnell. Mrs Hilds Jones (Demman College). Mr Bernard Naylor (librarian, Southampion University) Mr L E W Smith (principal, Strode's College, Egham) and Mrs Smith. Dr R M Jeff (Sheffield University). Professor J F Bosworth Profess WE THE

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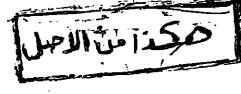
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Regrets over Pope as 'absolute monarch'

By Clifford Longley, Religious Affairs Correspondent

Catholic International Com-mission, and quite probably the opinion of all of them. It is stated unequivocally by

The Duke of Gloucester, President, National Association of Boys Clubs, will visit boys clubs in Liverpool on April 5.

"Marvellous, wonderfulthank God I am not a Roman Catholic" was how a leading American Anglican summed up his feelings after Pope John Paul II's visit to the United States. Methodist fears that his visit to the United Kingdom might drive the Church of England away from the Free Churches could yet be contradicted.

The more absolute and monarchical the papal style, the less likely is the Church of England Curia, have changed hardly at all. and Miss E. S. Bugdale

The marriage took place on
Saturday at the Collegiate
Church of St Mary, Warwick,
between Mr Robin Smith-Ryland,
elder son of Mr and the Hon Mrs
Charles Smith-Ryland, of Sherbourne Park, Warwick, and Miss
Eliza Dugdale, daughter of the
late Commander James George
Greville Dugdale, RN, and Mrs
Dugdale, of Jackdaw House,
Salterton, Salisbury, Wiltshire.
Canon Alan Shaw and Canon
Julian Rudd officiated.

The bride, who was given in

is one of his bon mots. He once drew a unicorn standing on its head, a variation within the precise rules of this esoteric art

form, and every now and again one of his heraldic lions turns up with a wicked grin on its face.

What you can do and what you cannot do belong to the mysteries of the craft, as every coat of arms must have the essential

or arms must have the essential elements correctly presented. Within those limits, however, the artist is free to be witty, ironic, and as stylish as he likes. And it helps to be a diplomat living in London, the best place in the world, Mgr Heim says, to pursue such an interest.

AWARD FOR

WEEKLY

PAPER

The Wakefield Express, a weekly newspaper in west Yorkshire, has won the newspaper of the year title in the 1981 IO)/Systime press awards for North-east England. The scheme

North-east England. The scheme is in its first year and is operated by the Institute of Journalists and Systime, the Leeds-based international computer company.

Other awards
Reporter: Angus King, medical
correspondent, "Yorkshire Post"
LIOO grize, photographer John Wills,
Northern Echo (LIOO), young
reporter: JIII Parklin, "Knarresborough
Post" (550), writer Geoffrey Winter,
"Yorkshire Pust" (LIOU), critic
Siephanie Ferguson, "Yorkshire
Evening Post" (2100); columnis;
Maurice Wedgewood, "Northern
Echo" (2100).

London Cornish Association

The ninety-sixth anniversary dinner of the London Cornish Association was held at the Park Lane Hotel on Saturday. Sir Denis Truscott, president, accompanied by Lady Truscott, was in the chair and the principal guests were Mr and Mrs Richard Carew-Pole. The Bishop of London also spoke.

The annual London dinner of the Old Oakhamian Club was held on

Old Oakhamian Chio was held on Saturday at the Naval and Military Club. Mr R. S. Horsman was in the chair, and the guest of honour was Mr O. R. S. Bull, Headmaster of Oakham School.

Miles Kington is on holi-

day this week

Provost to retire The Provost of Southwark, the very Rev Harold Frankham, is to retire in October.

ion also spoke.

Old Oakhamian Club

Dinners

It is a perfect coincidence of heraldry. The Pope is of course person, job and place. His position as the Pope's man in Britain inevitably brings to his

London

Appointments

The Roman Catholic Church still functions as though it were a monarchy and the Pope an absolute monarch. That that is so, and that it is regrettable, is the firm view of at least two of the Roman Catholic members of the official Anglican-Roman Catholic International Commission and quite nonbably the

Catholic International Commission, and quite probably the opinion of all of them.

It is stated unequivocally by the Right Rev Christoper Butler, the most eminent of English Roman Catholic Theologians, in a review of a book by his fellow international commission member, Father Jean Tillard, OP, in the current edition of The Tablet.

And thus it must appear reasonable to conclude that whatever the commission has to say about the Pope's infallibility jurisdiction, or whatever, visavisthe Church of England, it is an ideal Pope in an ideal church it is talking about, not the present reality.

"Marvellous, wonderfulthank God I am not a Roman Catholic Church of Covernity achieved the badge of doctrinal orthodoxy, It remains a paper theory, even if the paper in question is charge of the Roman Catholic Church were paper in question is headed Vatican II.

All the men now in charge of the Roman Catholic Church were the Roman Catholic Church were paper in question is headed vatican II.

All the men now in charge of the Roman Catholic Church were the

Mgr Bruno Heim at work in his study on a new heraldic design.

Heralding a bit of fun at St James's

tion of arms and signatures.

Lord Carrington, Queen Edizabeth the Queen Mother, the Duke of Norfolk, Prince and Princess. Michael of Kent, obscure counts from obscure parts of Europe even humble armless

politicians such as Mrs Margaret Thatcher have come under his

pencil and brush. (For her he drew a slightly unheraldic sword smashing the hammer and sickle to smithereens.)

He designed the present Pope's He designed the present rope s
coat of arms, and had some
artistic scruples when the Pope
insisted on the letter "M" in one
of the quarters, as it was not

University news

Dr G V P Chamberlain, BS, MD,

consultant obstetrician and gynaecologist at Queen Charlotte's Hospital for Women, to the chair of obstetrics and gynaecology at St George's Hospital Medical School from

March 30.
Professor J M Charap, PhD,

Professor J M Charap. PhD, professor of theoretical physics at Queen Mary College, to the chair of theoretical physics at the college from December 1, 1981.

Professor R D Cohen, BChir, MD, professor of metabolic medicine at the Loudon Hospital Medical College, to the chair of medicine at the college from December 1, 1981.

Dr L D Freedman, BA(Econ), BPhil, DPhil, head of policy studies at the Royal Institute of International Affairs, to the chair of war studies at King's College London from April 1.

Professor W R Keatinge, MB. BChir, PhD, professor of physiology at the London Hospital Medical College, to the chair of physiology at the college from December 1981.

Professor M Redwood, DSc(Eng), professor of electrical

The Broads Authority has decided to seek a designation for the Norfolk Broads to give the area the same status as a national park. Mr Michael Hesseltine, Secretary of State for the Environment, has said he would give parts of the Broads designated status under the Wildlife and Countryside Act.

BChir, PhD. professor of physiology at the London Hospital Medical College, to the chair of physiology at the college from December 1981.

Professor M Redwood, Systems for the interactions of some musel. Cancer Research Campaign: £55.318 to Dr. Neidle, department of hospitalists, King's College. For "CRC blomolecular structure research groups: structural studies on model with the structure of the interactions of some museless. Carcinogens, and anticancer drugs with nucleic acids."

Move to protect Broads

Professor Timothy O'Riordan, and plant life and the authority and arable farming.

"The designation will give the Broads national recognition as an paid to farmers and landown who decide not to drain it land also needs to be decided.

By Our Religious Affairs Correspondent

monarchical power, with not one of the various checks and balauces (free elections, dialogue with public opinion, democratic parliamentary processes, rules of natural justice) which every system of secular government now accepts, even if only pominally. The Roman Curia is the last relic of the European

But in the modern theory, the dominant official, theory (on paper), the papacy is by no means a monarchy. It is the diocese of Rome, and the Pope is its bishop. Each local church—Rome, New York, Paris, Newcastle upon Tyne—is led by its bishop; and together all the bishops lead the church all over the world.

The Bishop of Rome has extra The Bishop of Rome has extra duties, fundamentally all directed to making that system work. He has additional jurisdiction to discharge those duties, and a mysterious reserve authority to speak in the name of all the bishops, should circumstances occassionally demand it. That, at least, is the structure described by the Second Vatican Council.

The fourth and final report of the Angikan-Roman Catholic International Commission, due to be published later this month but already partly in the public domain, is in effect an invitation to the Anglican Communion to join that structure. The difficulty

corners of the Christian world. It

is a tradition almost as old as

And as the Holy See nowadays disclaims any vested interest in political matters of any kind, the diplomacy practised by Mgr Heim is the purest form of the art. His brief is merely to listen, to report, and when asked, to explain. There is nothing in the rule book about drawing the coat of arms of the person being listened to, or building mutual friendships with smiling lions rampant.

The new Pronuncio is due to be received by the Queen to present his letters of credence

and electronic engineering at Queen Mary College, to the chair of electrical and electronic

engineering at the college from December 1, 1981

G Westbury, MB, BS, consultant surgeon at Westminster Hospital, to the chair of surgery at the Institute of Cancer Research from May 4.

Conferment
The title of professor of architectural history on Dr J M Crook, DPhil, of Bedford Col-

Readerships at Queen Mary

College:
Dr D Bloor (polymer physics). Dr
Lorna A Cassellon (genetics): Dr
Rosemary N Combridge (German): Dr
F A Middlemiss. PhD (geology): Dr
L Sewell. PhD (theoretical physics):
Dr E G Wilson. PhD (experimental
physics)

physics)
Conferment of titles:
Reader in anthropology, Dr P C
Burnham, MA, PhD, of University
College London: Reader in dential
nealth, Dr M H Habdell, BDS, PhD,
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George's Hospital Medical School:
roader in blochemistry, Dr G R Tail,
BSc. PhD, of St Mary's Hospital
Medical School.

And as the Holy See nowadays

heraidry, therefore.

rampant.

is, of course, that it does not yet exist.

Parts of the Roman Communion resemble it, and parts are

The Vatican can cancel a reologian's licence anywhere in the world, without appeal; can grant or withhold, without appeal, a priest's request to be allowed to return to the lay state; can forbid the Roman Catholic bishops of England to conduct

Some Roman Catholics relish it that way, and they have the weight of tradition on their side. But it is unlikely that any power in heaven or on earth could

Forces



Mr Anthony Caro, the sculptor, who is 58

Colonel Sir Henry Abel Smith, 82; Mr David Austick, 62; Mr Gyles Braudreth, 43; Mr Justice Comyn, 61; Mr Michael Croft, 60; Comyn, 61; Mr Michael Croft, 60; Mr Michael Grade, 39; the Hon Douglas Hurd, MP, 52; Mr Michael Inchbald, 62; Miss Ann Jenner, 38; Sir Geoffrey Meade, 80; Miss Lynu Redgrave, 33; Miss Lynu Redgrave, 33; Miss Lynu Seymour, 43; Sir Christopher Summerhayes, 86; Mr Robert Tear, 43; Mr J. S. Tomkinson, 66; Mr P. C. Wilson, 69.

ority would then have to be told of any schemes for drainage or building.

The Broads Authority has agreed to list its objections to the drainage of 1,100 acres of marshes at Halvergate subject to certain conditions. The land is designated as being of scientific interest because of its wildlife and plant life and the authority wants to prevent it being used for arable farming.

The amount of compensation paid to farmers and landowners who decide not to drain their land also needs to be decided. Latest appointments

public penitential services, in-cluding general absolution; can outlaw girls as altar servers; can do, in fact, all that the term "absolute monarch" implies, even without the Pope's personal knowledge.

in heaven or on earth could persuade the Church of England down that road.

The price of church unity, therefore, seems to be the reform of the papacy, a monumental exercise that has not yet begun.

Appointments in the

Royal Navy
CAPTAINS P J Symons, to be promoted Rear-Admiral. June 1. and to be Gommander British Navy Staff and Naval Aliache Washington, and Uk National Liaison Rep to Saciant. June 11: A Local Liaison Rep to Saciant. June 12: A Liaison Rep to Re

Retirements V M Howard, April 25, G CAPTAINS, V M Howard, April 25, G W Lowden, May 29 SURGEON CAPTAIN: C. O. Lec Hughes, March 7, COMMANDERS: A D C Lund, April 24; E T Hurris, April 19: F W Hay, April 29: C M Bagguicy, May 2.

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Royal Air Force WING COMMANDERS: P N WING COMMANDERS: P. N. Le Marquand, RMCS shrivenham on DS, March 8: II II Moses, RAF Collishall as OC 41 Sqn. March 8: R E E Harl, RAF Scampion as OC ADMIN WG, March 8: I G McInivre, course at Staft College, Bracknell, Feb 25, K J Carley, MOD flarrogate at SMAT RAF), MARCH 8: B W Ball, MOD as Mov Ops (RAF). March 8: D A E Guttridge, RAF Italion as STO, March 8: B

Birthdays today



Latest wills

Mrs Christine Mary Payne Davies, of Sanderstead, Surrey, left estate valued at £323,722 net. She left £4,950, effects and a fifth of the residue to personal legatees, and a fifth of the residue each to the Liberal Party, RSPCA, Imperial Cancer Research Fund and the residue each to the Liberal Party, RSPCA, Imperial Cancer Research Fund, and the Parochial Church Council of Christ Church, Purley, Other estates include (net, before

Latest appointments include:
Lord Leverhulme to be president
of the North West Tourist Board
in succession to Wing Commander Kenneth Stoddart.
Mr Robert N. Thomson to be
executive director of the Royal
Society of Medicine, on September 30, in succession to Mr R. T.
Hewitt, who is to retire.

OBITUARY

MISS AYN RAND

The Night of January 16th, ment was staged in New York. (It ideas. had been produced as Woman On Trial in Hollywood the previous year.)
Her novel We the Living

sophy known as Objectivism which she was to elaborate in her writings, lectures and in

yesterday from injuries he received in a fall at a pointto-point meeting on March 6. He was 55.

Thorne's quest to win the Grand National last year made him a bousehold name. He lost two stones in weight as part of his preparations for riding in the race. Thorne owned the Chester-

Mr John Thorne, the ton stud near Leamington amateur jockey and racing Spa, and he himself bred personality, who partnered Spartan Missile as well as Spartan Missile into second many other National Hunt place behind Aldaniti in last winners. This season was his year's Grand National, died 33rd in race riding. He had sectionally from injuries he many other National Hunt only just returned to racing after breaking a leg.

Apart from Spartan Missille, he will be remembered for his partnerships with Indamelia, Polaris Missile, Flying Timber, Ben Aigen and Dubaythorn.

R.K.K. writes: Your obituary of . Dr stresses his gifts as a supervisor of graduate students. May one who benefited early

Nikolay Andreyev was

MALIKA

SABIROVA

Malika Sabirova, the Soviet ballerina, has died in Dushanbe, Tadzhikistan, at the age of 39. She had been suffering from cancer. Miss Sabirova was the leading soloist with the Tadzhikistan Opera and Ballet Company and had appeared as a guest soloist with the Bolshoi and Kirov companies.

Parliament this week

Commons. Today (2.30): Timelable motion on the Oil and Gas (Enterprise) Bill. Canada Bill, third reading. reading.
Tomorrow 12...07: Budgel. Lloyd's
Bill. (hird reading.
Wednesday and Thursday (2.50);
Continuation of Budget debate
Friday. (9.50): Private Member's
motion on educational and employment opportunities for young people select committees: Today: Home Affairs: Subcommittee on Race Relations and Immigration. Subject: immigration from the Indian Subcontinent. Wilnesses: United Kingdom immigratis Advisory Service (10.45). Education, Science and Arts. Subject: Wilnesses: Confederation of British Industry (4.50): Greater London industry (4.50): Greater London Linguistan, Science and Arts, Subject:

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(5.30). Energy: Subject: Combined Heat and

Power. Witnesses: Central Electricity Council

(4.30): Northern Engineering Industries (5.30).

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MP. Secretary of Sale and officials from the Department of Industry

(10.30). Scottish Affairs. Subject: Rursi road passenger (ransport and ferries. Scottish Affairs. Subject: Rursi road passenger (ransport and ferries. Scottish Affairs. Subject: Police Compilaints Affairs. Subject: Police Compilaints Profuge. Witnesses: Lord Belsioad Profuge. Transportation in

Office (11).

Transport. Subject: Transportation in London. Winesses: Mr David Howell. Secretary of talet. Mr David Howell. Secretary of talet. Se Landa, Today (2.30): Travel Con-crasions (London) Bill and Adminis-tration of Justice Bill, second

articles and introductions

in Western and on occasion Soviet learned journals as well as the Russian emigre Tokens of recognition

came in 1970 with a Variorum Reprint of 14 articles col-lected under the title Studies He was his pupils' friend, Festschrift issue of Canaready to give time and dian-American Slavic Sudies. encouragement (and if need be a glass of whisky) at those moments of despair which lie greater; but probably no moments of despair which lie greater satisfaction ever on the path of every PhD.

Although his pupils, graduate and undergraduate, combination of the best absorbed most of his energy, Russian and British qualities.

> Jersey. She was Morna, second daughter of Sir Alexander MacCormick, KCMG, and the was married to 1922 and she was married in 1932. Her husband died in 1980.

Commons. Mar 1: Travel Concessions Commons. Mar 1: Travel Concessions Bull passed the remaining Magnet. Plant of the College Board (Abolition) Bill read College Board (Abolition) Bill read a first time. Consolidation Fund (No 2) Bill read a first time. Consolidation Fund (No 2) Bill read a first time. Consolidation Fund (No 2) Bill read a first time. Consolidation for the College Bill read a first time. Concession March 1988 and 19

MISS DOROTHY EDEN Prolific romantic novelist Miss Dorothy Eden; the (1969) and The Salamanca rollific and best-selling Drum (1979), her name was likewise it has some similarity to the shape of the Anglican Communion, but there are contradictions there too. The part that resembles it least is the papacy itself.

The Vatican, the institutional papacy, does still intervene frequently in the name of absolute papal juridiction, and still speaks in tones which leave no room for debate.

The Vatican can cancel of the Anglican in the South Island, but at the age of 26 she moved to Christchurch where first she requently in the name of absolute papal juridiction, and still speaks in tones which leave no room for debate.

The Vatican can cancel of the Anglican in the South Island, but at the age of 26 she moved to Christchurch where first she had suffered most severely from requesting career.

Her first novel, The Laugh-ordinary courage; and

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ner writings, lectures and in subsequent novels. This philosophy, for which The Objectivist which she edited from 1962 to 1971 was a principal vehicle, was a drastically simplistic interpretation of Romanticism which elevated and planticed.

Besides her novels she was the author of a number of philosophical works, among them For the New Intellectual (1961), The Objectivist Ethic (1961), The Virtue of Selfishmess: A new Concept of Egoism (1965) and (with

MR JOHN THORNE

and Duoayttiorn.

He leaves a widow, Wendy.
A son, Nigel, was killed 14
years ago in a motor accident.

DR NIKOLAY ANDREYEV Andreyer rightly came from his pen, to appear from those gifts add a Toke further word of apprecia-

always more than just a in Muscovy: Western influ-supervisor, suggesting ence and Byzantine inherit-sources and checking drafts. And in 1979 with a He was his pupils' friend, Festschrift issue of Cana-

Lady Anderson, widow of

Lieutenant-Colonel Gerard Thomas Scofield Horton, MC, who died on February 25, was High Sheriff of Warwickshire in 1953.

readings. Deer (Amendment) (Scotland Bill, committee.

Tomorrow (2:30): Pet Animals
(Amendment) Bill, third reading.

Civic Government (Scotland) Bill.

Indicated the Scotland of Bill.

Wednesdaw (2:30): Debate on national health service.

Thursday (3): Taking of Hostagos Bill.

committee. Local Government (Mistellaneous Provisions) Bill. committee. Hotlon on election expense.

Mistellaneous Provisions) Bill. committee. Hotlon on election expense.

Subcommittee of Scotland Committee. Bill.

and Consumer Affaign characteristic on guidelines for European agriculture and 1982-8; price proposals from the Milk Marketing Board. (10:30).

Hills Marketing Board. (10:30).

Hence of the Committee of Subcommittee of Subcommittee. Technology and Research). Evidence from BP and Shell on natural gas. (111.)

Progress of legislation

Miss Ayn Rand, the Rus- expense of all his other sian-born American novelist, qualities. It gives rise to a essayist and philosopher who was the author of such best-concept in her works, but, selling novels as The Foun-though it led to grotesque tainhead and Atlas Shrugged parodies of human characters

selling novels as The Fountainhead and Atlas Shrugged was found dead in her New York home on March 6. She was 77.

Ayn Rand was born in St Petersburg on 1905 and graduated in history at what had by then become the University of Leningrad in 1924. She emigrated to the University of Leningrad in 1924. She emigrated to the United States in 1926 subsequently becoming a United States in 1931. She had married an American, Frank O'Connor, in 1929.

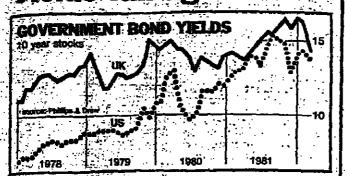
In the early 1930's she worked as a screenwriter and was later to produce the screenplay of one of her own novels. In 1935 her first play, The Night of January 16th, was staged in New York. (It had been produced as Worman.)

Miss Rand was a visiting lecturer at a number of American universities, in-cluding Yale, Princeton, Columbia, Harvard, Johns appeared in 1936. In it she Columbia, Harvard, Johns first introduced the philo. Hopkins and MIT and she further propagated her ideas in The Ayn Rand Letter.

drastically simplistic in ness: A new Concept of terpretation of Romanticism Egoism (1965) and (with which elevated and glorified others) Capitalism: The man's self-determinism at the Unknown Ideal (1966).

monthly figures (February).

Yields fall again



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yields on gilts fell sharply last week in five successive trading sessions as market hopes of further base rate cuts rose. Dealers believe that easier money supply and influion figures justify another round of interest rate reduction either today or just after tomorrow's Budget: If these expectations are not met bond prices could slip later this week.

BP in offshore sale

British Petroleum is believed to be keen to sell its 15 per cent stake in the Beatrice field in the North Sea. It bought the holding from P && O in June 1979 for £28m. BP's desire to sell our is apparently based on a desire to limit its involvement on fields where it is not the technical operator.

CSI chief fights back

Mr Patrick Neill, chairman of the Council for the Securities industry has opened a fight with a private document to the 14-man council to save the powers of the City's ultimate self-regulatory authority, which he heads, from being replaced by law and administered by the Department of Trade. The threat to the CSI was foreshadowed in a consultative document in January which had been comissioned by Mr John Biffen, the

THE WEEK AHEAD

Sweet taste of success

Nimslo cameras US launch

Eight hundred Nimslo 3-D cameras a day are coming off the production line at Timex's Dundee factory, ready for the sales launch in the United States later this month.

The Nimslo Corporation is to start selling the controversial camera, at a price close versial camera, at a price close to \$200 (£109) in Paorida. During the summer it will become available, elsewhere in the United States. The Enro-pean launch is expected early in 1983.

Business guide A new guide to help people find the money they need to set up or Expand small businesses is published today by the Confederation of British Industry. The guide is called Finding Money for Your

LONDON EXCHANGE

Proof that demand for biscuits and confectionery is virtually recession proof will emerge on

Thursday when two of the United

Kingdom's largest food groups — United Biscuits and Cadbury

Schweppes — are both expected to report a healthy increase in profits. Shell will also be announcing its final figures.

United Biscuits is expected to raise taxable profits from last years £47.8m to around £60m, helped by currency gains and the

7.5p.
This will come from better

margins in United Kingdom biscults and snacks through

for profits in the region of £67m.

Two areas the group has identified for long-term expansion are frozen foods, currently a loss

Frozen foods account for about

10 per cent of United Kingdom sales, and after reorganization

ECONOMIC VIEW

Events will be overshadowed by tommorrow's Budget, which could

contain provisions on tax havens and bed and breakfasting which will be unpopular with big companies and the stock market.

But today's final figures for January refail sales are expected to confirm the view that despite

the seasonal sales it was a bad month for the stops, and the provisional February wholesale price index figures should show that inflation is

at inflation is not worsening

cs will not indicate a

ant fall in money supply

Mid-February provisional money

DIARY

Today: Retail sales (January final figures) wholesale price

index numbers (February pro-

visional); construction output

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growth,

maker, and restaurants.

FT Index 560.7

FT Gitts 68.36

(Friday's close)

FT All Share 323.03

rgains 24,604

Profit setback

The developing recession in the United States hit company profits in the final quarter of 1981, but for the year as a whole, after ax earnings of larger corporations were 8 per cent higher on a 12 per cent

sales gain.

The figures, published in Business Week; provide the background to the growing disillusionment of business leaders with economic policies, a collapse of Wall Street share prices, and growing Congressional determination to alter the proposed budget. to alter the proposed budget.

• The Government is today urged by the National Feder-ation of Building Trades Employers to spend more on housing improvements to combat "disastrous unemployment" in the construction industry.

to censure a'Court

Mr Gerald Ronson's Heron chant Bank, which is advising orporation is to press hard for the Takeover Panel to censure publicly Australian Mr Robert Holmes a Court for alleged breaches of the

Takeover Code. The two are rivals in a bitter battle for control of Associated Communications Corporation, formerly headed by Lord Grade, and Mr Ronson's move follows Mr Holmes a move follows Mr Holmes a Court being revealed as the mystery buyer of almost one million ACC non-voting shares and increasing his bid

to 95p a share, topping Mr.
Ronson's offer by 5p.
Under the Takeover Code

day, but it is understood his TVW Enterprises—a 44 per cent owned subsidiary of the Bell Group through which he is making his bid for ACC—had been buying and selling ACC non-voting

OFT studies bread

By Derek Harris, Commercial Editor

Bread pricing is being more new generation plant investigated by the Office of bakeries than RHM. Associ-

restricted by the Office of Fair Trading, which is considering action under the mew Competition Act. The question is whether any bread manufacturers have more capacity coming in adopted a strategy of production.

price discounts

adopted a strategy of preda-stream.

cost in order to try to drive

smaller makers out of busi-

This brings short-term

benefits to consumers in sharply lower prices but a

later danger from a possible monopoly. The OFT said last night it was in contact with

various parts of the industry after complaints and ex-

pressions of concern from

both management and trade unions in the bread industry

about the level of discounts.

There have been complaints

from some independent re-

gional plant bakers as well as

OFT investigators are look-

ing closely at the role in the

discount war being played by the two giants of the indus-

try: market leader Associated

British Foods (ABF), with a

market share of about 32 per sent, and Ranks Hovis

McDougall (RHM) with about

28 per sent.
But there are likely to be

difficulties in assessing whether a particular manu-facturer is selling well below

cost. This is because some

have more modern and ef-

ficient plant than others and thus are able to afford larger

ABF, for instance has

discounts to retailers.

from trade unions.

ACC directors, and told them he was increasing his offer.

This is a revision of Mr Holmes a Court's first offer almost two months ago. At that time Bell Group offered 66p for the non-voting shares and 320p for the voters. Now it is offering 95p for 25.6 million non-voters and 380p for 146,700 voters he does not already own. The new bid values ACC at £51.3m, almost £15.3m above his first offer and £2.27m above the Heron

Under the Takeover Code all purchases of all clauses of shares must be declared by noon of the day following the buying. Censure by the Takeover Panel is usually only done in extreme cases.

Mr Holmes a Court was not available for comment yesterday, but it is understood his Heron was meeting the There is no excuse for not knowing that they had to declare. I would imagine Mr Holmes a Court could recite the Takeover Code".

He said Heron was going ahead with its offer docuselling ACC non-voting ment, uctaming shares shares since last Wednesday. values the non-voting shares at 90n and the voting shares on Friday, Heron's ad at 90p and the voting shares visors, Barclays Merchant Bank, asked the Takeover Panel to investigate a mystery buyer who had chased the ACC share price up to 97p at one point in the Stock Market. Their request came Meanwhile ACC's special

as a result of unsatisfactory four-director committee, answers from stockbroker T. headed by Lord Matthews C. Coombs which was execut- and set up last week to look ing most of the buying at all takeover bids and orders.

report to the full board, is On Saturday, as a result of due to meet today.

On Saturday, as a result of the to meet today. The Takeover Panel request, Mr Alan Newman, Mr Holmes a Court might be Holmes a Court's main executive dealing with the ACC bid, admitted that TVW reviewed when he returns to Enterprises had added 925,000 ACC non-voting shares to the 51 per cent it already held. By midday Mr Holmes a Court had called Standard Chartered Meritan from the week. It is understood the board has already held. By midday Mr taken the view that there is no potential conflict of interests

If a plant bakery is operating at less than 20 per

operating at less than 20 year cent capacity it runs at a loss. The bif suppliers to multiple grocers such as Tesco and J. Sainsbury are

thus under pressure to give large discounts in orded to

maintain volume production.

of discounts last autumn. This happened after Associ-

ated family bakeries made

increasing inroads into the supermarket chains by sell-

ing selectively in some re-gional areas. Others, to stay in the race, matched the level

of discounting. The National Association of Master Bak-

ers, representing nearly 4,000 small bakers, said last night

that prices in the supermar-

kets of well under 30p a family-sized white loaf were

making it more difficult to sell what they regard as craftsman-made loaves at

After the crash of the

Spillers baking interests in 1978, maximum discounts to

the multiple buyers had been

running at most at 25 per cent before the discount war

started. Now discounts are thought to be nearer 30 per

ABF started the new spiral

Panel urged | Opec 'will hold present oil price'

By Jonathan Davis, Energy Correspondent

of a concerted move to cut

production.
This follows the announceneering in Vienna on March 19, and confirmation by Suadi Arabia that it plans to reduce its official production ceiling from 8.5 million barrels a day to 7.5 million barreis a day

Ministers from the leading Arab members of Opec, meeting in Quatar for the second Arab energy conference, said that the emergency Opec meeting would confirm an informal deal struck at the weekend. This would involve cutting Opec output from around 20 million barrels a day to 18.5 million barrels a

Sabah, Kuwait's oil minister, said yesterday: "We are confident we will succeed in ment over the weekend that Opec will hold an emergency meeting in Vienna and 22 meeting in Vienn

the downward pressure on oil prices to ease within two or three months. He ruled out any price cuts by Opec members, and warned that they could cut output again if and said: "it is now possible to convene a very successful meeting."

Western sources are, however, sceptical whether a cut that his country's production in production to 18.5 million ceiling would be lowered by barrels a day will be suf- one million barrels a day this ficient to prevent further month, and repeated his reductions in oil prices belief that the \$34 a barrel

Leading oil ministers in the day, and maintaining the Organization of Petroleum present official pricing structure, based on a \$34 a barrel yesterday that they expected to be able to hold oil prices at their existing levels, because of a concerted many structure, based on a \$34 a barrel to be able to hold oil prices at their existing levels, because Sabah, Kuwait's oil minister, and maintaining the during the weak demand price would be held until the p beuchmark price reduced from \$34 a barrel to between \$30 and \$28 a barrel.

> Saudi Arabia's position is not yet clear. Shaikh Yamani, the kingdom's oil minister, Iraq's Oil Minister, Mr said at the weekend that an Tayeh Abdul-Karim expects emergency Opec meeting was

> > meetine". Shaikh Yamani confirmed

to cut North Sea prices by \$4 a barrel to \$31 a barrel last week and other price cuts by Iran, Mexico and Egypt, has been prompted by a surplus of supply estimated to be running at two to three million barrels a day.

If Opec does reduce its output to 18.5 million barrels

a day, it will be the least it has produced since the 1960s, and compares with a production peak in 1977 of 31 million barrels a day. Oil sources said last night that it would be unwise to take Opec's plans at their face value until an agreement is actually reached at Vienna. Several oil companies are openly predicting that prices might eventually fall to \$25 a barrel.

I. G. Metall

'model' rise

By Peter Norman, Brussels

achieved in this year's round of collective wage bargaining in West Germany with the 1.

G. Metall trade union's acceptance of an increase of

only 4.2 per cent for one million metal processing and

The increase, which was agreed on Saturday after both sides had gone to arbitration, is well below the 5.8 per cent rate of inflation in Germany but takes into account expectations of a

account expectations of a further drop in the rate of

price increases.

The settlement is likely to

be adopted with minor vari-

ations for 3.7 million metal and engineering workers throughout West Germany

and could set a pattern for collective agreements in other industries. The union and employers' negotiators agreed that it should be

recommended as a model to metal industry wage nego-tiators in other regions of

Germany and those in West. Berlin and Bavaria have already signalled their ac-

The agreement compares with IG Metall's initial claim for 7.5 per cent and the employers' offer of 3 per

The rapid conclusion of

welcomed by the West Ger-

man government and the federal bank.

government.

drawing up its programme to

boost employment earlier

erate wage increases had rised by nearly 50 per cent

over the past 12 months to

1.9 million. The settlement, coming on top of a slowdown

in the rate of inflation and

signs of a steadier Deutsche-mark of foreign exchange

markets, could encourage the

bank to reduce its interest

this year, stressed that mod-

cent.

engineering workers North Rhine, Westphalia.

A breakthrough has been

accepts



Buying a share in scripophily

Scripophily, the study and collection of bonds and share certificates, brought the curious as well as numerous dealers, some from abroad, to the City of London yesterday for the second annual international scripophily conference. Mr Jonathan

Lyttleton, auctioneer for the Bond and Share Society which organized the conference, sold around 15 lots of the bonds and certificates, many of them intricately engraved. Mr Lyttle-ton is pictured examining an early

By Paul Routledge, :Labour Editor Exporters face handling difficulties and the Government may be involved in a new public expenditure bur-den because of troubles in the docks caused by falling trade and reorganization of

Port employers in London

more

job cuts

ority says it would like to

The dckers are protesting at proposals to reshape the

Docks face | Home video viewers go for feature films

By Torin Douglas

The video cassette recorder is bringing a new meaning to the concept of home movies almost half of all television programmes taped are feature films, according and the only non-feature film to a report from Audits of in the top 10) and The Aliens Great Britain, which produc- Are Coming. es the British Audience Reasearch Bureau's weekly television ratings for BBC

AGB has produced a chart of the 10 most-recorded programmes in the last three months of last year. Nine of the 10 were feature films.

Close Encounters of the Third Kind was top of the list, closely followed by The Wild Geese. Both films were recorded by almost a third of the 300 households that took

one and two). Sweeney 2, It'll Be Alright on the Night (a compilation of bloomers from films and television this year engineering wage round with a settlement appreciably below the inflation rate is likely to be compered by Denis Norden

According to AGB, feature films accounted for 45 per cent of the recording on VCR's, far ahead of the next highest category, light enter-tainment at 10 per cent. Drama serials accounted for 9, per cent of recordings, action series 8 per cent and documentaries and current affairs 5 per cent.

The average VCR owner much prefers taping programmes off the air to buying or renting recorded tapes. Some 86 per cent of all material viewed was recorded Shampoo was third, 2001: A off the air, with 46 per cent space Odyssey fourth and A accounted for by BBC proStar is Born fifth. Then came

Came West The William of the same of the sir, with 46 per cent by BBC programmes and 40 per cent by

After the settlement was announced both the employers and the IG Metall union found fault with it, indicating that an acceptable compromise had reached. Herr Wolfram Thiele, the

metal industry employers' leader, complained that a lower figure would have helped to reduce unemployment. But the outcome was better than a strike, which probably would have been the next stage in the conflict if arbitration had failed.

Herr Klaus Lang of IG Metall also said the outcome They argue that they need was unlikely "to make anyto charge more if they are to give a decent service as costs have been rising and the number of bargains have been falling.

Metall also said the outcome was unlikely "to make anytony but the described the increase as acceptable provided the government did everything that it could to much through a change in Under the proposed new push through a change in Under the proposed new commission rate, a bargain in equities up to £7000 would be charged a minimum of 1.75 per cent of its value, representing a 16.7 per cent increase.

Through a change in employment policy and that industry fulfilled its pledges to hold down prices and improve conditions on the labour market.

Belgian steef prices, Page 13

tory pricing. Over-capacity in the inThe Monopolies and Merg-dustry is at the root of the ers Commission, in its 1981 discount war, particularly as report on discounts to remove modern higher capacity tailers, pointed to the dangbakeries are opened and ers of predatory pricing. This is when one or more data. and Liverpool want to shed about 3,000 registered dock workers and there is growing pressure from an unofficial is when one or more domi-nant manufacturers use their growth sector of in-store resources to sell far below "hot bread" bakeries.

dockers; group to strike against proposals to reorga-nize the National Dock Labour Board. .The Port of London Auth-

make redundant 1,100 dock and warehouse workers because of recession. The Mersey Docks and Harbour Company is talking of around 1,900 job cuts involving the possible shutdown of Victoria

part in the survey.

Gone With The Wind (parts ITV, the report says.

Decision soon on commissions

Substantial changes to the Stock Exchange's original proposals to increase the

harge for share dealing are expected to be suggested when chairman Sir Nilcholas Goddison meets the association whose m embers make the most use of the stock market on Wednesday. Already the Unit Trust Association has attacked the move to raise stockbroking charges on small bargains which are usually made on behalf of small investors. The British Insurance Association and the Investment

believed to be unhappy with broking firms who believe it proposals contained iln the is correct to put up substitute first detailed first detailed review of commission charges since

Two meetings of the 46-member Stock Exchange ruling council have been set aside for discussions over commissions. A decision on the changes is expected either from the meeting on March 16 or from that planned for March 23. However, there is now beginning to emerge a lobby of support for increased

investors.

Trade imbalance talks at critical stage

Congress poised to move against Japan From Bailey Morris, Washington, Mar 7

produce a dramatic response trade barriers. from Tokyo over the next six months of the result could be

the Japanese for correcting for \$100 less a tonne than the trade imbalance which is prevailing price in Japan. \$20,000m for the United

States this year. A US delegation, headed by Mr David MacDonald, deputy trade representative, to visit

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The list includes the harsh anti-Japanese legis- United States agricultural products, consumer products such as cigarettes, and basic cials fear they will be unable products such as soda ash to check the strong protec-used in glass making which tionist sentiment in Congress the American companies say without a positive sign from they can deliver at dockside

clear. We are sending the Japanese a list and we want meaningful action. We know it can't be done overnight but Japan this year and is we nevertheless want some expected to deliver what can

and the Japanese approve the approved by President Reamew package of measures Abe, Japan's Trade Minister, convinced there is a political gan's close advisers who designed to improve access to has appealed to Belgian commitment "at the top" to agree with the document's their markets, Congress is Foreign Minister Mr Leo effect changes in Japan by main points that the United still almost certain to pass Tindemans, for help in resist-opening markets

Mr Olmer says that recriphe thinks the Administration tural products and possibly will have a better chance of manufactured goods shaping it for the better if it these measures are not likely

Japan. The Japanese, meanwhile, Foreign Minister.

Mr Masumi Esaki, an adviser to the Prime Minister, war-

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duction (February). Wednesday: United Kingdom batance of payments—(fourth) after a £2.9m loss last year. The Pizzaland restaurant chain has performed well and is being expanded and the Wimpy Image is being slowly revemped. After an advance at the half sar from £21m to £27.5m.

could be approaching break-even

Cadbury Schweppes is expected to produce profits of £75m to £77m for the year to December, bolstered by year-end currency translation gains. There should be a matching rise in distributions, with analysts

expecting a rise from 5.8p to 6.80 per share for the full year. The group achieved good progress in a number of overseas markets, while in the United Klagdom there was a modest advance of £1.5m to £18.7m. A heavy increase in marketing expenditure helped Dairy Milk win back, market share from Rown-tree's Yorkie bar, but the prospect of an enlarged group if Rowntree's bid for Huntley & Palmer is successful will offer increased competition to both

low price of cocca, and matched by a 29 per cent increase in, dividends for the year to a total for the 12 months to December of Cadbory Schweppes and UB. With the reduction in North Sea volume increases and better productivity, and a considerable advance in the United States boosted by currency gains on translation into sterling.

But the present year is likely to see a stourteer or the constant of the co oil prices quickly tollowed by Department of Energy forecasts that production would rise this year, Mr John Raisman, chairman and chief executive of Shell UK, see a slowdown as the low raw material price; and the wasker pound may have a less marked impact, and analysts are looking

said last week that Britain's offshore development was at a His warning comes ahead of not-only Tomorrow's Budget but also of full-year figures from Shell, due on Thursday, which are expected to show a fall from last year's £2,225m pretax, with

ites ranging from £1,400m Gareth David

BOARD MEETINGS TODAY: Interitor: AAH Holdings. Galiflord, Manganese Bronze, Murray Glendevon, Parker Knoll, Murray Glendevon, Parker G H Scholes, Sheldon Jones. Finals: Aliled International De-signers, British Vita, BTR, Davies and Metcalfe, Greenfields and Metcalfe, Greenfields Leisure, Invergordon Distilleries

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only be construed as an ultimatium on trade. Mr MacDonald carries with him a "list of specifics" approved by President Rea-

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Lionel Olmer, the Under Sectetary of Commerce, said.

must be taken.

Even if there is movement the free trade system.

d the lapanese approve the Meanwhile, Mr Shintaro

in the United States.

Both Mr Abe and Mr Esaki March 20 visit to Washington of Mr Yoshio Sakurauchi, the

Last week, for example, between Japan and the West after the visit of a special do not dominate the conferrade mission to Washington, ence. It is not clear whether

States. Abe, Japan's Trade Minister, convinced there is a political has appealed to Belgian commitment "at the top" to

centre role Singapore's financial annual budget, which failed to deliver concessions they had requested of Dr Tony Tan, Minister for Trade and Industry. In the months before the budget announcement, Dr Tan had private contacts with banks and trade associations, discussing what moves they saw as licence fees, or possibly what moves they saw as necessary for Singapore to bring in an ad valorum tax on

necessary for Singapore to meet its goal of becoming the "financial supermarket" of South East Asia.

The fact that Dr Tan is the first minister of trade and industry to have come from the simplest route to adjustment. industry to have come from the banking sector engendered further confidence that he could come up with a dramatic drop in corporate tax, clearer guidelines on taxation of trading profits and capital gains, a review of the banking act, and confirmation of large tax deductions on fund management. the banking act, and confirmation of large tax deductions on fund management fees. On all these, they were

disappointed.

Instead, the financial sector received modest concessions like the scrapping of the stamp duty on Asian currency loan agreements signed before April 1, 1980. when these are repatriated to Singapore, and the abolishing estate duty on gold deposits -

Singapore's success as the Singapore's success as the Centre of the Asian dollar market, expected to top the United States \$1,000m (£540.5m) level by June, has been the core of its ambitions as the leading regional finan-cial centre. However, fund management has been hampered by unclear tax guide-lines on asset management. At the moment, profits from bonds, notes and floating rate certificates of deposit can be subject to 40 per cent corporate tax, as compared to Hongkong's 16.5 per cent. In leaving this situation unchanged, the Singapore Government is still cautious on how it chooses to encour-

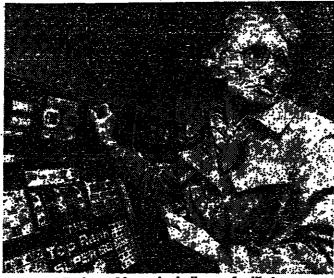
This caution is all the more ironic when Singapore is the financial centre trying to digest the bulk of Asean monetary growth. In Singapore the financial and business sector should be a 12 mer. ness sector showed an 18 per cent growth rate over the previous year, thereby retaining its position as the leading

Chancellor may bite into fruit machine profits

It was a surprise when the Chancellor in his 1981 Budget failed to siphon off some of community was sorely disappointed by last Friday's annual budget, which failed account for much of the

That would be a big blow for the industry. Pub tenants usually share profits with the brewer if they are tied; in managed houses all the profit goes to the brewer and in the clubs the AWP profits go a long way to supporting lower

The National Union of Licensed Victuallers has been campaigning strongly for pubs to be able to increase jackpot prizes to match this competition from the clubs.



Fruit machines: rise in licence fee likely

clubs some machines pay out jackpots of £100. There are well over 100,000 AWP machines in Britain and profits from those in pubs alone are probably more than £180m. Estimates of profits from club machines vary from £700m to almost double that figure.

A pub with two AWP

The payout on pub machines machines — effectively the has been doubled to £2 but maximum because licence the union has urged that this should rise to £10.

machines — effectively the maximum because licence fees scale up sharply for additional machines — would have an awerage income from them of about £5,800 a year, according to and analysis by Phillips & Drew, the brokers.

The increasing reliance of the pub and club trade on AWP machines eased when video games machines came into fashion. But this has waned, making AWP takings again a key factor,

Derek Harris

TAX ON OVERSEAS OPERATIONS

Fears grow over revenue plans

A significant issue in yellow covers and immeditomorrow's Budget will be ately labelled "the yellow whether the Chancellor, Sir peril" by tax accountants— Geoffrey Howe, bows to the concentrated pressure from Britain's multinational companies to defer for a year new rules for taxing their overseas operations.

The Inland Revenue has shown it is determined to introduce the new rules as a way of getting back some of the powers exercised by the Treasury when exchange controls were in force. Since controls were abolished in 1979 by the present Government, the Revenue has argued that use of tax havens by British companies and individuals has boomed.

As a result, it produced its if funds were ren draft clauses — bound in Britain as dividends.

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1. Presentation of the Directors Report,

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to the 1981 financial year, in accordance

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2. Proposal and resolution on the

3. In accordance with the Articles of

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City, on Friday the 26th March 1982 at 10.30 am, in order to deal with the

AGENDA

which propose a tax on all British companies with overseas subsidiaries in low-tax regimes. It also wants a new definition of company residence to strike at businesses which operate in the United Kingdom, but enjoy favourable tax benefits because they are controlled from overseas. Finally, and in the view of many multinationals most alarmingly, the Revenue wants to tax loans made by overseas subsidiaries to their United Kingdom-based

parents. The Revenue argues

that the loans are an avoid-

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The deposit abroad must be made

Foreign Investments.

the purpose.

As commercial loans, United Kingdom companies must pay interest to the lenders. And to the apparent disgust of the Revenue, they then claim tax relief on the loan interest payments.

Businesses argue that they arrange their affairs in this way because their overseas subsidiaries face high local taxes and punitive withhold-ing taxes on dividends paid overseas. They also claim the draft clauses represent a serious threat to multinational business carried on from the United Kingdom.

All the leading pressure groups have been begging the Chancellor to defer introduction of the plans for a year of further consultation.

Drew Johnston

Budget ₃ expected to boost market

BROKERS' VIEWS

Brokers are viewing tomorrow's Budget optimistically for the stock market. A stimulus will be given to the economy, it is thought, although opinions vary on the amount of money the Chancellor will give the Chancellor wilt give away.

Gilts are expected to continue to trade well by most brokers. Forecasts on the equity market, which has been remarkably firm recently, are more cautious.

lames Capel see the Chan cellor giving away "a modest £500m to £750m." The case for a cut in the Nationa Insurance surcharge has been weakened by the fall in oil prices. "As a consequence we still believe that the best use for the money would be the indexation of customs and excise duties other than petrol," they say. They see a growth in the economy of 2.5 per cent in 1983, and in-

flation down to 8 per cent.

Laing & Cruickshank are going for a £1,000m give away by the Chancellor. They expect the gilt market rally to continue into the summer The authorities have nudge down interest rates, and further cuts in base rates to 12½ per cent can be expected by mid-year. But, in the second half, rising United States interest rates and buoyant corporate loan demand will put upward pressure on base rates, they

Panmure Gordon are positive of the gilt market after the Budget. The weakening of business activity, oil prices, and loan demand in Western economies is gathering force, and the inevita-bility of a significant fall in bond yields has become clear, they say. Fundamental British ecomomic influences on gilts remain — almost with-out exception favourable. As the payment of overdue and seasonal tax is achieved, liquidity srpluses are likely

to emerge. Sheppards and Chase have a number of reviews out this week. On Barclays Bank they see "considerable scope of profits growth this year". The shares are en an attract-ive yield, which the brokers are forecasting at 7.9 per cent for the year to end December. Commercial December. Union is their preferred stock among the composite insurance companies, with the yields for 1982 and 1983 forecast at 12.3 and 13.6 per

cent respectively.
Grieveson, Grant's latest commentary on the unlisted securities market picks out Johnstone's Paints as having good long-term growth po-tential. For 1981 the brokers see pretax profits of £1.55m, growing to £1.8m in 1982, giving earnings per share of 7.1d 8.2 and yields of 3.1 and

6.1 per cent.

Phillips & Drew recommend buys for BPB and for Imperial Group. Carr Sebag like Ultramar, on a forecast ple ratio of 4.6 for 1982 and 3.7 for 1983; the yields for the same years are forecast Sebag also like Diploma, at a fully taxed p/e of 24.3 for 1982 and 19.7 for 1983, with yields of 2.6 and 2.9 per cent

respectively.
Rowe & Pitman recommend a buy on Royal Insurance (as do a number of other brokers). They esti-mate a pie ratio of 9 for 1982 and a gross yield of 10.6 per cent. Capel-Cure Myers also favour Royal Insurance, tak-ing their forecast to 1983 when they see pre-tax profits at £168.4m, giving a p/e of 7 and a yield of 11.3 per cent.

Sally White

Wall Street bleak but busy



Concern about the re cession took the Dow Jones cession took the Dow Jones industrial average down another 17.03 pts last week to close at 807.36. Wall Street is in the grip of the worst bear market since the 1973-74 recession and few analysts see much hope of relaxation before the end of April.

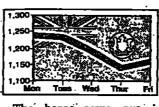
The Dow is expected to fall

The Dow is expected to fall to 725 or 750 before it begins to rise again as investors act to rise again as investors action nervousness about the recovery supposed to begin in the second half of the year. Last week saw the heaviest volume of trading since the week ending January 9, 1981, when Mr Joe Granville, an influential investment counsellor advised his clients to sell

everything.
Volume totalled 328.82
million shares last week
compared to the record of
324.52 million in 1981. The past few weeks have seen the stock market defy traditional indicators. Recently bond prices have rallied and interest rates have declined, a combination that usually prompts the market to rise. Last week the money supply fell by \$3,000m, easing fears that the Federal Reserve would tighten credit.

HONGKONG

Market battered



The bears were out in force as the market took a battering. The Hang Seng Index closed at 1158.92, index closed at 1158.92, shedding 113 points for the week. After weeks of poor volume, reflecting the lack of interest, average daily turnover was up at HK\$180m (£16.5m), fuelled by the selling spree.

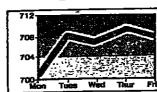
The week's most signifi-cant point came when the market broke through the supposed 1220 support level without any noticeable resistance. Institutions began selling again and brokers now see the next support area as 1100.

blue chips, Hongkong Land and Cheung Dong, have now dropped 28 per cent and 32 per cent respectively in the last control of the stock down to A\$3.30.

strength.

GERMANY

Foreign boost



Commerzbani With the with the Commerzbank index having briefly touched a new high for the year last week, analysts are wondering whether German stock exchanges are finally poised to break out of the doldrums that have characterized share markets over the past six

months.

Heavy foreign buying of shares gave the markets a substantial and unexpected boost last Tuesday and sub-sesquent profit taking has done nothing to upset operators who believe that the fudamentals are at present

Foreign bargain-hunting is cited as evidence that German shares are cheap at present levels. Hopes are Out for Diood growing that the current success of German industry on export markets will translate into economic revival at Stock Exchange and there is home and create the con-more to come if the trend

pany news, particularly from Preussag, a stock market favourite last year, which has promised a higher dividend for 1981 on the strength of 20 per cent higher profits.

Ordinary snares has failen by 4,300m Rand (£2,216m) and so far this year the total market in ordinaries has tumbled by 12,455m Rand to 59,000m Rand.

The most severe drop last week was in gold shares which shed 1,200m Rand or the strength of 20 per cent higher profits.

AUSTRALIA

Prices drop



The recent slide in share prices has hit property stocks in particular. The two major Stock Exchange. In the first

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last two months.

But sentiment remains overwhelmingly bearish, despite Friday's rally of 18 points, which brokers described as unconvincing in view of short covering and continued selling into

of 1c. This followed Edders' report of a better-than-expected profit and a one-for-two bonus issue.

The first case was over-reaction to had news — the reaction to have news — the second was lack of reaction to good news. One broker summed it up this way: "Confidence is shattered." Indeed, there wasn't much to be confident about on the

The oil bubble finally burst, with Britain lowering the price of its North Sca crude by \$4 to \$31 a barrel in response to the world oil glut. This will put increased pressure on Opec and parti-culauly Saudi Arabia to reduce prices and/or output. As far as the market is concerned this will hold back the steady growth in the Australian import parity price for oil and consequently the profit prospects of Australian oil and gas companies. The oil and gas index plunged through the 400 mark, closing the week at 384.0, a drop of 64.5 points or 16.5 per cent from the previous week. Some prominent oil and gas shares suffered in the shakeout.

It was a week of bloodletting on the Johannesburg ditions for a drop in domestic continues. In the past week the market capitalization of Investors have also been ordinary shares has fallen by

The most severe drop last week was in gold shares which shed 1,300m Rand of their market value and the current market capitalization is 13,400m Rand but industrials, too, have suffered.

Although the industrial board has held up under the pressure of the last month there were some big losses during the past week with Aeci down from 880 cents to 780, Abercom down from 370 to 330. Premier Milling down to 1300 from 1440, Tiger Oats down from 1930 to 1850, Remgro, the Rembrandt Tobacco Organisation holding company, losing 55 to end on 1,000.

COMMODITIES

Sugar prices still going down

wander into the trading course by the usual flucturous ment. In 1980 members' ations. Sugar prices are now sugar broker these days and you will be greeted by the unusual sight of complete of the reason for the lack of supposed to keep prices are now BETs totalled 15.4m tonnes. Under its agreement, dating from 1978, the ISA is supposed to keep prices artion; we have a supposed to keep prices are now at the more of 12 to 22. inactivity. Normally frenetic dealers have their well-shod feet planted on desks, and the feeling of repose is pervasive. It is any broken rvasive. It is, any

market. Not only is trading slow, but prices are low. The London daily raws price at the ennd of last week was £155 a tonne, about £100 less than a year ago. Sugar for May dellivery is fetching about £160 a tonne resolution. about £160 a tonne, roughly £120 less than during the same period of 1981. Indeed, during October 1980 prices touched £400 a tonne, and there was talk of them rising

will tell you, a very boring European Economic Community and the International Sugar Agreement, the two bodies which in uncertain

For its part, the ISA has cut the quantity of sugar members are allowed to export to 85 per cent of Basic Export Tonnage. BETs are the amounts individual coun-But instead the trend has per cent reduction is the been down, accompanied of maximum under the agree-

Under its agreement, dating from 1978, the ISA is supposed to keep prices within the range of 13 to 23 The worry is superficially surprising because both the intervention of the EEC will also be important. The community proposes stockpile sugar with the twin aims of not depressing world prices while discouraging farmers from planting more. The official stockpile tar-

get is 1.7m tonnes out of estimated 1981 EEC production of 15.6m tonnes and exports approaching 6m tonnes. ISA and EEC restrictions should go some way to balancing a market which in the 1981-82 season is thought to produce a world surplus of 4.9m tonnes over consumption of 90.4m tonnes.

CAPITAL MARKETS

Prime rate cut likely, after drop in M1

From Maxwell Newton, New York, March 7

inevitable after the big fall in money supply (M1) announced on Friday. Money stock in the week to February 24 fell by \$3,000m to bring the total back below the level of the week ending January 6 and thus wiping out most of the bulge in money growth which has undermined confidence in the financial markets.

the financial markets. The drop in money stock since the peak in the week ended January 13 has been particularly welcome for President Reagan as every reduction in interest rates diminishes the presure an diminishes the presure on him to reduce defence spending or to restore previously announced cuts in rates of

The peak in the Treasury bill rate was reached shortly after the peak in the money supply. This is because there is a lag of one week in the announcement of the money announcement of the money supply figure and because there is a short "assessment time" during which the market has a chance to formulate a view about the significance of the announced change in the money stock.

Bearing those short lags in mind, it is clear that the market is dominated in the short term by the perception

The collapse of oil and gold prices and the pervasive weakness of all commodity price futures will have a strong effect in leading to change in inflationary esti-

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Two other factors are at work which will depress interest rates in the coming weeks.

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month — October 1981 — when producers' prices have risen by more than 0.5 per cent. In January, producer than 0.5 per cent. The second factor which will bring about a collapse of interest rates is the decline in the demand for credit by American corporations. Since October, when the current down phase of the recession gained fresh momentum (resulting in the nearly 5 per cent. sulting in the nearly 5 per cent annual rate of decline of

ate loans have risen very rapidly.

Seasonally adjusted commercial and industrial loans by the large commercial banks rose from \$188,000m in October to \$199,000m, in the first week of February. This rise of \$11,000m compared with the rise of \$16,000m between January and October last year. Thus in the period since October these short term corporate bank loans have been rising at an annual rate of something like rate of something like \$40,000m a year while in the nine months to October they were rising at only about one half that rate.

half that rate.

The exceptionally sharp rise in corporate short term bank borrowing reflected the fact that corporations were caught wrong-footed by the steep decline in output in the fourth quarter of 1981. They had been encouraged to believe by the "consensus" forecast of American economists that there would not be a steep decline in real GNP in the fourth quarter.

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City of Mexico, 1st March 1982

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Furnily enough the first bit of NT land subject to a commission lease to come up for sale was offered to the trust itself. This was a small wood around the Roman. goldmine at Dolaucothi, Man-dello; the rrust declined politely, and there, for the noment anyway, the matter

HERTFORDSHIRE Mothers in lore

There are two new faces at F International the Berkhanisted-based computer systems house, many of bose workers are mothers of young children...

The two faces belong to Jane Tozer, who has a son a year old, and who comes in from IBM to be F's business development manager, and Ann Budge, who has a daughter of nine. Ann Budge is to be area manager for F's

new Scottish sales office in Emphasish Jane Tozer's brief is to take F International into new areas of computing service and Ann Budge's is to exploit Scottish opportunities re-vealed in a recent feasibility



F International's Jane Tozer (left) and Arin Budge.

SOUTHAMPTON

In conference

Jack Newby the director of the Electrical Contractors' Association, has come to the parting of the ways with his senior deput, Nick Cory.

Newby, and ex-PA management consultant, has been director for the past 2½ years Cory, a long-time ECA man, has been deputy director for the past two weeks have been strikes and demonstrations in the steel towns along the Sambre and Meuse Valleys as workers have followed the call of their minions to protest against the likelihood of job losses.

But the economic problems of the industry, centred on the ailing Cockerill Sambre steel concern, have begun to shake personalities and institutions far beyond the grimy manufacturing centres near Liege and Charleroi. organise the association's annual conference, in which capacity he won an award last year from the Association of Conference Execu-

tives.
This is a pointer to what Take is a pointer to what mission.

Cory will be doing next He has formed Nicholas Cory position of Viscount Etienne position of Viscount Etienne Davignon, the Belgian national who is EEC Commissioner for Industry and Energy and until now the undisputed star in the European Commission.

The steel dossier has landed back on the Belgian Cabinet table with a thump comedian, is now with his and ended the political partner Arthur Gale, an electrical contractor and commercial contractor contractor and commercial contractor co

owner of the Southampton right coalition government which took power in the more to the point, Kemish middle of December.

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Graham Bannock comes up in his work as managing terity, wage restraint and terity medigence Unit and a member of the Economist's Advisory Group Which port, would sition from both Christian and socialist trade union you think, is "surpassed as a organizations in southern natural" harbour only by Belgium and the French-speaking to a head.

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Weather-beaten tourist industry seeks an investment umbrella

This year's annual report already proving a success as a way for Britain's tourist industry to beat the weather. The most elaborate example, the Great Yarmouth arguing owner. Commission by the well into the black in the beautiful or the black in the black. Marina Centre, promises to be well into the black in its

But if Mr Michael Monta-

eart Buscot. Oxford way they could soon be and 808 acres at appearing in an increasing a Sussex.

Montague as a way of rescuing England's faded tourist performance. Last year Britain had its biggest tourism deficit yet.— Britons spent £245m more abroad than was earned in Britain. Nine per ceut more Britons went abroad, while overseas visitors to the United King-dom declined seven per cent.

The ETB's plan involves three main elements. One is making greater use of low-interest loans from the European Investment Bank (EIB). These are currently running at £12m a year but there now seems an increasingly good chance of pushing this nearer to £20m a year for the next two years. A £7m hotel at Harrogate, complementing the town's

new conference centre, is demonstrating the investment gearing to be expected from EIB loans. There £2.5m in EIB loans went in, linked 19 to cash from a City insti- 19 tution and with some involve- 19 ment by the local developer. 19 The EIB loan, and the 19 ETB's role in helping to get 197 institutional backing, made it 197 possible to get the scheme 197 for the 230-bedroom hotel off the ground, according to the 198 local developer, Mr John 198 Abel, a Harrogate hotelier.

INTERNATIONAL

OUTLOOK:

STEEL INDUSTRY

By Peter Norman

The long-running crisis in the South Belgian steel industry threatens to get out

The outward symptoms

manufacturing centres near Liege and Charleroi. The future of the steel

industry in southern Belgium has put the Government in Brussels on a collision course with the EEC Com-

It threatens to erode the

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mission.

Institutional money is the Loosening this develop-second element in the ETB's ment area straitjacket is the plan.

Mr Montague says: "City ETB's plans are to achieve institutions have not been maximum impact. There are over-enthusiastic about put- signs that Whitehall may

ably goes back to when they saw too many fingers burned when the property market crashed. What we have argued is that, even though hotels or other developments possible problem there. If may have been involved, it was a property market prob-lem, not just a tourism one." The point is getting home, he believes. In the drive to

appearing in an increasing approach by institutions is encouraged by the soft-loan the coast and inland.

New ways of funding the projects and a policy switch by government on geographical limitations on tourist development are, however, tructal to this an investment package like to the institutions over to the merits of tourist development.

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> Scarborough, instance, a £6m programme which included renovation of aiding tourist projects if only the Spa conference complex on the argument that the and upgrading of local industry is labour-intensive hotels, was able to attract and stands a good chance of around £1m from the EIB and a similar amount from But the encouraging development. and a similar amount from

West Country where high unemployment could be alment, he says.

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interest rates in the United Kingdom were to decline relative to those in Europe the EIB terms would be less attractive.

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ing.
Mr Montague would also leviated by tourist develop- like to see more emphasis on improving resort attractions.

The threat to Belgium's unity

Tourism: the trade balance at current prices

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Relaxing at the Great Yarmouth Marina Centre - an allweather lure for tourists

suspect that tourist attrac- an old open-air seawater tions are at least equal in pool, got the project on the importance to if not more road with the backing of the important than, the accommodation on offer," he said. We do not need more hotel although quality to improve, more central heating, less sharing

of loos. He regards the £5.7m Great Yarmouth complex as a textbook example for other resorts. "Within five years I expect to see at least a dozen such centres around the country," says Mr Montague. Facilities in the beach-side building include a pool with

waves lapping onto warmed tiles, a variety of sports facilities, an entertainment piazza, amusments, catering areas and a discotheque. On Caribbean evenings by the pool the lights are dimmed, steel bands play and the food and drink have a tropical

touch.
The local authority, faced with doing something about

National Coal Board Pension Fund. That avoided the problem of barking shins against public sector borrow-

Mr Chris Barnard, general manager, expects the first year's trading surplus at least to meet payments due to the pension fund.

When the centre opened last summer 5,500 people a day paid 40p (half price for a child) to get into the complex. Almost as many passed through the turnstiles in the autumn, according to Mr "People are coming for the

day or for the week-end and from quite far afield. We did not expect to make any money in this first winter; in the event we could be near to breaking even."

Derek Harris

Business Editor

Aiming for lower interest rates

though it remains hard to see that he can avoid raising capital markets.
it slightly given the proposed increase in National two fronts and, pe

insurance contributions. The point, however, is that the broad thrust of the strategy is clearly going to remain the same — a tight fiscal policy in order to leave room for a progressive fall in interest rates.

The cynics might be forgiven for recalling that Budget day last year produced both the first and last interest rates. Minimum Lending Rate, for those who remember it, was cut from 14 to 12 per cent. But after the first bout of euphoria, interest rates, both short and long term, then proceeded to move steadily higher Rank base steps on the road to lower steadily higher. Bank base rates were back up to 16 per

cent by early autumn and still stand at 13½ per cent.

So what are the chances of things running rather more kindly for Sir Geoffrey this was?

frey this year?
On the domestic front, the major worry must be the strength of the economic recovery and the kind of wage pressures which that produces for the next pay round. For one starts from the

relatively tight position where consistency with the Medium Term Financial Medium Term Financial Strategy provides for monetary growth (whether or not specifically pinned to sterling M3) of 5 to 9 per cent. As in America, the monetary authorities over here will doubtless expect growth to be per the top growth to be near the top end of that range. Even so, some increase in the velocity of circulation is required to finance a prospec-tive increase in money GDP

over the next 12 months of, perhaps, 11 to 12 per cent. That may not in itself seem unreasonable. But the issue becomes rather more worrying if one looks at it from the viewpoint of the likely credit demand required to finance recovery, particularly to finance an upward swing in the stock

The latest year's figures for bank lending to the private sector have, of course, been inflated by the banks' rapidly expanding share of the mortgage market. But that hardly makes the position any more comforting. If one assumes that the

Govenment can fully fund its borrowing requirement in the non-bank market without too much difficulty (thus making no contribution to monetary growth), the expansion of banking credit to the private sector needs to be consistent with a maximum implied growth in sterling M3 of less than £8,000m.

In the latest 12 months, taking in a period of heavy destocking by industry, bank lending to the private sector has grown by £11,400m (or over 20 per. cent). During the past six months, as destocking has started to wane, it has grown at an annual rate of £17,500m. Can the private sector's appetite for credit grow still further?

grow sun rurmer?
- On the face of it, the figures - for the last six. months — an annualised rate of increase of a good 30 per cent — must be unsustainable. Indeed, it may well be that the financing of tax payments deferred by the civil sevants' dispute last summer has significantly distorted the trend.

distorted the trend.

However, in spite of the improving trend in corporate profitability, it still seems likely that the financing of higher activity will push the corporate sector firmly into financial deficit

The Chancellor may, of course, propose direct measures to relieve industry's cash flow problems, either by way of a lower

"In the year ahead the National Insurance sur-burden of income tax and charge or some scheme for excise duties has to rise in the payment of interest net excise duties has to rise in order to secure lower interest rates and thus improve the prospects for industry and employment." Thus said Sir Geoffrey Howe a year ago.

This time the Chancellor will presumably not need to be quite so harsh when it comes to the tax burden, though it remains hard to the payment of interest net of tax. Alternatively, or additionally, the Chancellor may well feel that the outlook for inflation is sufficiently improved this year to offer a more realistic prospect of the fall in long term yields required to persuade companies to start refinancing their bank borrowings in the long term

Developments on these two fronts and, perhaps, an odd reminder to the banks to watch their lending to the personal sector may be enough to see us through.
Doubtless the trend in long term interest rates and PSL2 (the broad measure of private sector liquidity) will also be used to offer guidance as to the strength of total credit demand in

the economy.

Even with favourable developments on the credit front, however, it is a difficult to envisage a precipitate fall in interest rates. It would be surprising were the Goverment prepared to see real interest rates returning to zero. More probably it would be content with a real yield curve: rising say from two per cent at the short end to three per cent further out.



Gordon Richardson, Governor of the Bank of England, who has responsibility for carrying out the Government's monetary policy this уеаг.

Where that might take you in nominal terms depends on whether you see an 11. 10 or a 9 per cent inflation rate over the next 12 months.

Now all this could, of

course, be totally upset by developments in the United States — and the US is indeed to blame, at least in part, for what has happened over the past year. This year it could be different, with a sharp fall in dollar with a sharp interest rates and the dollar itself putting upward pressure on the pound in a way that would force the authorities to chance their arm with lower real interest rates in Britain. Much, one assumes, would depend on how the economy looked at

The great fear, however, continues to be that dollar the time. rates will shoot up once more later this year as America pulls out of recession and the Administration: refuses to rein in prosepctive federal deficits. Possibly, the Europeans could ride that kind of storm rather more easily next time, though it is hard to see them making themselves totally immune.

But a fresh upturn in American interest rates is not the only fear. In spite of the recent strength of the current account of the balance of payments, and in spite of the relatively good performance of sterling of late, there is still some suspicion about the pound's medium term prospects. medium-term prospects.

Britain has, indeed, clawed back part of its lost competitiveness through its own efforts during the past year or so. But it is going to take considerable restraint in the next pay round for that improvement to be sustained.

Any signs that pay and productivity trends are failing to maintain that improving trend would quickly transmit themselves to financial markets; and that would leave the Government facing a fresh dilemma.

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Striking Belgian steel workers showed a united front last week, but the crisis-hit industry threatens to split the country and union representatives, who, apparently ignoring the heavy financial burden that regionalization would mean for the south, want the South Belgian steel industry to be controlled by the Wallonians themselves.

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company at the centre of the conflict, is 80 per cent-owned by the Belgian state. It was formed last year from the Cockerill Steel Company of Liege and the Hamault Sambre group of companies based in Charleroi, about 55 miles to the west.

By all objective criteria it should have been declared bankrupt long ago.

The group owes its existence to the enormous to the commission, state aid for the steel industry has to be phased out by the middle of the decade. Viscount Davignon, who would be involved anyway as a result of his European functions, is doubly implicated because over the years he has insisted, for domestic political reasons, on taking part in the decision making on the restructuring of the southern selegian steel industry. Inevitably French-speaking

at Seraing brought the crisis to a head.

The decision, based on McKinsey's prediction that the plant would lose nearly BFr300m a year, not only pushed the dossier back to the Belgian Government, it continuous casting plant in

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Belgium itself.

Mr Martens's present fifth government and his fourth administration which was in power last winter distinguished themselves by showing a determination to tackle the grave economic problems afflicting the Belgian state.

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The Cockerill Sambre issue, by provoking calls for a regionalization of steel and the other problem industries of coal mining, textiles, glass making and shipbuilding, threatens instead to revive the fruitless quarrelling in Belgium between the Wallopressed south and richer,

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ones. Other than setting up a ree-man committee consistler captains, L.R. Burner and I. H. E. Sucliffe, and one of heir greatest bowlers. F. S. rueman, with strong executive

To have sacked Geoff Boypit might have cost the county he best part of £50,000, his alary, that is, plus the cost of he special general meeting which such a move would un-

Although at the end of last season all but two or three of the Yorkshire side expressed a wish not to play with Boycott any more (this was decided in fact, by a poll taken

at a highly emotional time) he is to be allowed to see out his contract, which expired in September. The same applies to Chris Old, the captain, and Ray

contracts of nd Geoff Bo oured for the ir periods, bo te 1982 season which cover difficulty of establishing spirit and unity is openly r nised and trab efforts are made to ensite that past culties are fortotten and hard culties are fort

To this end the committee appointed Mr. R. Samet (c man), Mr. W. H. H. Sattliffe Mr. F. S. Truman with the fift brief of alking sure this indive is suitained. This committee will be available help the manager and the to resolve imbediately any lems which may arise on a to-day basis.

It is the speere hope of committee that the manager team will not enjoy the u support of the members and

To take saion against to for that would be asking to taken to cult. The idea holding a referendum and Yorkshire's 5,000 member to whether or not Boyo services should be retained rejected as being costly inonportune, so, for the sections in a quarter of a cent Romaie Burnet has been ground to come to Yorkshire's proper to Yorkshire's property yorkshire.



Freddie Trueman : arriving for yesterday's meeting.

A memorable Godch innings

From Michael Hornsty, Port Elizal

South Africa celebrated the end of 12 years of isolation from international cricket with a convincing victory over Graham Gooch's visiting English XI in a one-day, limited over match at St George's Park, Port Elizabeth, sesterday

yesterday.

Under a sky of azure blue, tempered by a pleasantly cooling breeze, a capacity crowd of more than 15,000, mainly white but with a leavening of indians and Coloureds, were treated to a feast of batting skills, of which a dazzling century by Gooch was the most memorable.

Put in to bat by the Springbok captain, Mike Procter, on a pitch that still had some grass on it, the Englishmen got off to a slow and uncertain start, but thanks mainly to a splendid 138-run third wicket partnership between Gooch and Dennis Amis they put up a more than respectable 240 for five by the end of their 50 allotted overs.

Set to score at a rate of just-over 4.8 runs an over, the Spring-boks knocked off the required total with three overs to spare, and for the loss of only furee wickets. They never blocked in difficulty, and with the likes of Procur and Ray Jennings still to come in gave an awesome demons-tration of the depth of their but-

Whatever view one takes of the rights and wrongs of the English tour, this was a remarkable performance by Goods, as much for its sease of confidence and self-possession as for its technical skill. At the age of only 28, he is righter much more in coming

skill. At the age of only 23, he is rinking much more in coming bere than older members of the side, at or approaching the end of their Test careers, for whom, the pecuniary motive appears to have been uppermost.

Gooch opened the English innings with Boycott, who went when the score was only seven, firing a full-bloodled square cut off Procter's second over straight into the hands of Rice. Larkins for the hands of Rice. Larkins are the scoreboard then read 44 for two, with the runs having come at well under four an over.

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Aniss then joined Gooch, however, and was sensibly content to play second-fiddle while his captain laid about the bowling with a disabin at times bordering on contempt. Neither the pace of Garth Le Roux and big Vince Van Der Bill, nor the slow bowling of Kourie, held any problems for the maranding Resex opener. The first 50 runs of their partnership came in 56 minutes, and of these Amiss scored only six. They reached 100 in 87 minutes, by which time Amiss's share was just 22. Once Gooch had gone, however, well caught and bowled

One image in particular I shall remember is of Gooch advancing down the pitch to Alan Kourie and going down on one knee, Compton-like to sweep him to leg from somewhere outside the off stump; From the first ball he was in total command, but raised. was in total command, but raise

tain cast in the Brian Sellars

Though not a good enough player to be in the side on ment, Burnet pulled York-

needed and in 1959, his second

and last season as captain, he

led them to the championship. For what he did then he has the gratifude of all Yorkshire-

men. His theme yesterday was

one of engineering team spirit.
"Harmony has to be restored,"
said Michael Crawford, chair-

Burnet, Sutcliffe and True-

man were chosen by ballot by their fellow members of the

cricket management committee. That this should be done was decided after careful considera-tion of the "in-depth" report,

Many members will think that this investigative commit-tee was about as effective as

a glass-bostomed boat in mid-Atlantic. However, reconcilia-

that would be something to be

universally welcomed.

man of the club.

initiated last autumn.

together when it was

Facing a target of 241 runs to win, the Springboks set a crack-ing pace, their score rate seldom dropping much below four runs an over. Although after 40 overs. with the South Africans on 181 for three and needing to acceler-ate to at least six runs an over to clinch matters, the match was still in theory delicately poised, the outcome never seemed in any

Rimmy Cook, the tall Transvasier who opened the Springboks innings, survived some anxious early moments to assert his authority over an uninspired English attack, hitting a six and eight fours in his knock of 82 in just under three hours.

But, if only for sentimental reasons, it was Richards and Pollock who captured the hearts of the crowd. A seemingly rejuvenated Richards, who has not been in good form recently, was all squat power, hammering balls through the covers off the back foot and ringing up his 50 in only 67 balls with the aid of a towering six off Old and seven fours. He was eventually bowled for 62 trying to hook, Gooch for another six.

Pollock, by contrast, was all effortless grace, appearing to do little more than lean on the ball as he sent it speeding to the boundary, and needing only 67 minutes to reach his 50, which inminutes to reach his 50, which included a six and seven fours. He and Rice, who had come in with the score at 176 after the departure of Cook, were still there at the end, carrying their bats for 57 and 24 respectively. For the South Africans, if not for international cricket, it was the end of a perfect day.

The English XI play Western Province in a time-day match starting in Cape Town tomorrow before flying north for the first

before flying north for the first of the three four day games against the Springboks which begins on Friday at the Wanderers

Chairman resigns

I labore, March 7.—The Cricker crisis in Pakistan worsened when the chairman of the selectors resigned today, declaring he "did not want to be a party towards the disintegration of cricket in Pakistan". Bjaz Rutt said he would not attend the meeting on Monday to select the Pakistan ream for the second Test against

had.

Mr Butt alleged in his statement that Air Marshal Nur Khan, chief of Pakistan's board of control, appointed Javed Miandad as captain of the Pakistan cricket team "on his own" and without taking into confidence the conneil members of the hoard Fight ton members of the board. Eight top Test players have refused to play under Misudad. Only one player failed to reach double figures for Sri Lanka to-day but the opener Westimuny's

day but the opener wernmuny's 71 yesterday remained the highest score. Mendis (54) was the most successful batsman today. He hit seven fours and a six before Rashid Khan caught him off Tauseef Ahmad just inside the houndary. boundary. Somachandra de Silva scored 26 before being bowled by Tauseef but Sri Lanka's total was a disappointment after starting the day handly placed at 156 for.

three Sri Lanka hit back quickly when Pakistan started their

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An ideal Test workout

Christchurch, March 7.—Australia's batsmen today got the practice they were looking for on the second day of their three-day match against New Zealand Cricket Board President's XI.

The Australians, 73 without loss overnight in reply to the President's XI's first imnings total of 250, fitted in their first full day at the crease since the rour started. They were all out at the close for 357, a lead of 107.

K was an ideal preparation with the second Test — the first was president's XI: First innings

PRESIDENT'S XI: First lanings

Total 250
FALL OF WICKETS: 1-19, 2-55, 7-166, 8-227, 5-151, 6-131, 80WLING: Thomson, 15-5-44, 3-1-53-2; Chappel, 4-1-7, 0; Verdley, 6, 4-2-51-1; Bright, 20-5-66-1.

a rain-ruined draw — starting in Anckland on Friday. The Austra-lians scored their runs in 401 minilans scored their runs in 401 minutes on an easy-paced pitch.
Their opener Graeme Wood,
made a too score of 93 and Greg
Chappell 78.

The Otago spin bowler, John
Bracewell, has been brought into
the New Zealand team for the
second Test:

the New Zealand loan iv. Insecond Test.

TEAM: G P Howarth (Captain).
J G Wright, B A Edgar, M Crowe.
J V Coney, J F M Morrison, R J
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Total of WickETS: 1—77, 2—157, 2—215, 2—255, 6—333, 6—335,

TENNIS

Shale and farewell for **Davis Cup Britons**

From Rex Bellamy, Tennis Correspondent Rome, Mar 7

Rome, Mar 7

Three experienced Italians who are on their way over the hill were just good enough to beat Britain 3—2 in the first round Davis Cup tie that ended here today. This was an impressive performance by players who have been together longer than they dared think about. There were four critical factors, and the most important was the fact that the slow shale court suited Italy better.

better.

The second point is that Panlo Bertolecci emerged from self-doubt to give a dazzling performance in yesterday's doubles, on which the tie lunged. The third is that at the age of 31, Adriano Panatta, his energies eroded by matches on both previous days, just had enough left to resist a stern challenge from Richard Lewis in the decisive singles. The fourth is that, admirable though Lewis was, Britain still need a second string who can give Christopher Mottram the support he deserves.

In 22 "live" Davis Cup sincles

In 22 "live" Davis Cup singles Mottram has been beaten only by Manuel Orantes, John McEnroe, Ilie Nastase and Gillermo Vilas—all winners of one of the great championships. Mottram beat Panatta on the first day here but Lewis, who has a troublesome knee, was defeated 11—9, 6—1, 5—1 by Corrado Barrazzutti in three hours and six minutes. Lewis played a good first set, but was then overwhelmed by his technical deficiencies and the rising level of Barrazzutti's game. Bertolucci and Panatta beat Andrew Jarrett and Jonathan In 22 " live " Davis Cup singles Andrew larrett and Jonathan Smith 6-4, 6-3, 6-3 in a two-hour doubles richly embellished by finese and dazzling geometric patterns. Britain had most of the patterns. Britain had most of the break points in every set but, obviously, were second best in the crucial rallies. They did break through to 3—1 in the second set, but lost the next eight games—largely because Bertolucci's sudden inspired form took the weight from Pauatta's shoulder.

Today Mottram kept Britain in the fight by beating Barrazzutri 6-4, 6-3, 7-5 in two hours 42 minutes of fiercely contested and absorbing tennis. Mottram won the first set from 0-2 down. vived two break points before taking charge in the second, and won the third from 2-4 down. This was a sustained exercise in tactical variation and discrease aggression. He can seldom have put away more cross-court back-hand volleys during a single match on shale.

Barrazzotti may look dismal and slovenly but he is a crafty and nagging opponent. Moreover the third set was contested amid the kind of crowd disturbances to which the Italian is the more accustomed. After one disputed decision the public were warned that the match would be suspended unless they stopped throwing coins on the court. Them Barrazzutti was warned about his conduct after he had muffed a shot and used his racket as a spade to dig up some of the court dressing. Barrazzutti may look dismal

Mottram took it all in his stride and left Lewis with what, in a pect anyway, was no more an outside chance when the last match was in pro-gress the odds shortened: partly because Lewis kept on playing well and partly because the surprised Panatta looked tired; wor ried, and inhibited.

Panatta could not maintain his

Panatta could not maintain his best form and at times sprayed his forehand all over the place. Lewis was twice allowed to serve again because spectators whistled as he was swinging at the ball. He never looked as good a player as Panatta, but the work he was forcing on Panatta threatened to break the Italian's waning stamina and shaky morale. It was not to be. With 10 consecutive points Panatta stringled within easy reach of an 8-6, 6-4, 6-2 win that took two-and-a-quarter hours. If Britain are to avoid relegation to next year's zonal qualifying competition they must win an October play-off in Spain. At this rate they will soon know how to play on shale. to play on shale.

SCORES: C Barrazzutti beat R Lewis 11—9, 5—1, 6—1; A Panatts and P Bertolact beat A Jarrett and J Bertolact beat A Jarrett and J Smith 6—4, 6—5, 6—5; Barrazzutti lest to C Mottram 3—6, 5—6, 5—7; Panatts beat Lower States and Jarrett and J States 1 Jarrett and J Jarrett a

ROUND-UP

Mazzoni counters a controlled challenge

The 23rd Challenge Martini Epée competition, held in London on Saturday, was won after an exciting series of very close fights by Angelo Mazzoni, from Italy, Hilary Cawthorne writes.

Fighting for a place in the final of eight, Mazzoni won the first of four consecutive 18—9 victories when he fought the 1978 champion, Philippe Boisse (France). Next came Stefan Ganeff (Belgium)' and Olivier Lenglet (France), who also failed to score the crucial last hit.

The fight for first place provided an interesting contrast in style between the very controlled Daniel Giger (Switzerland) and the flamboyant and mobile Mazzoni. With the fight score again at 9—9 the Swiss attacked, missing his opponent, while Mazzoni's counter-artick found its target.

counter-artick found its target.

Mazzoni, aged 20, who has been fencing since the age of six, is the European champion and winner of the recent Monal event in

Paris,
Steve Paul, the defending champion and the only Briton to

MOTOR RACING Drivers bow to sanctions Parls.-Grand Prix drivers in

conflict with the International Auto Sports Federation (FISA) bowed today to sauctions imposed by the Sports' highest court, but called for the resignation of the FISA president Jean-Marie Ralestre. Marie Balestre.

Marie Balestre.
Didier Pironi, president of the Professional Racing Drivers' Association, acknowledged yesterday's decision by the appeals tribunal of the International Automobile Federation (FIA). The tribunal confirmed fives of \$5.000 imposed by the FISA executive committee led by Balestre on most of the 29 drivers who went on strike at the South African Grand Prix in January, but reduced \$10,000 fines on the rest to \$5,000. est to \$5,000.

Pironi said the drivers noted with great satisfaction the

with great satisfaction the striking rejection of the arbitrary procedure conducted by the president of FISA." Competitors at all levels of the sport would welcome the fact that the attempt of FISA to give itself powers close to those of an extraordinary court has failed lamentably," he explained AP explained.—AP. The Irish driver Tommy Byrne

made a superb start from the second row of the grid to win yesterday's opening Silverstone round of the British Formula 3 championship, a Special Correspondent writes. Martin Brundle, the English driver, just held off compatriot Dave Scott for second place.

comparing Dave Scort for section place.

James Weaver, the London driver, was fourth. He had been the fastest in practice. Byrne, who was the third quickest despite damaging his cars skirts system, seemed unruffled. The Irishmen led all the way from a spectacular start to the crucial first corner. Weaver lost time when he hit the Argentiman Enrique Mansilla. Scott set a new lap record of 107.32 mph.

REFULT: 1. T Byrne (Ireland) 106.49 mph; 2. M Brundle (CB) Rail; 700 mph; 2. M Toledano (Mexico) 18.21; 215-55; 6. A Toledano (Mexico) 18.21; 700 mph; 2. M Toledano (Mex

make the final, drew Michel Salesse (Franco) and after a good start with the score at 5—1, lost his lead when Salesse changed factics and started to dominate the fight. When the score reached 9—9, Paul took a chance with a fleche (running) attack, was parried by Salesse and eliminated 10—9.

Neil Mallen (GB) was unlucky

ried by Salesse and chiminates 10—9. Neil Mallett (GB) was unlucky to be climinated only one his away from his first Martini final when he lost 10—9 to Goran Malkas (Sweden).

The finalists were fortunate to have as their international referee Bill Hoskyns (GB) and Hans Jacobsen (Sweden), both of whom are past world champions, 1958 and 1975 respectively.

Hoskyns, earlier that day, had been fencing in the event as he has in all 23 of the challenge Martini competitions, winning the title 20 years ago in 1952.

Results: 1 A Mezzoni (Italy): 2.
D Olgar (Switzepland): 3. O Lenglet
(France): M Salesse (France): 5. Canell
(Swades): K Klerpe
(Swades): C Malkar (Sweden): S
Paul (GB)

HOCKEY

Hertfordshire well placed By Sydney Friskin

Suffolk, who are due to play Surrey on Saturday in the sami-final round of the County Championship, at Crane Sports Club, Ipswich, had a bad setback yesterday when they were beaten 1—0 by Hertfordshire in the East County league on the same ground.

ground.

Herifordshire are now favourably placed, needing to win their last two matches to retain the title. Their nearest rivals are Cambridgeshire. Hertfordshire's winning goal was scored in the first half by Farmer, a name which was an added blow to the Suffolk side.

There was a double bill at

Suffolk side.

There was a double bill at Winnington Park where the North bert Midlands at both senior and junior level. The seniors won 2—1 and the juniors 2—0. North seniors scored first to Robbie Smith, from a short corner just before half time, and Midlands equalised almost immediately after the resumption of Midlands equalised almost immediately after the resumption of play with Lillyman scoring from a short corner, with some help from Mallett. But it was not long before North came up with a drametic match winner. Hugber and Wilkinson fore through the Midlands defence and Gallagher treated of the manner from the state of the same part of the same p scored off the rebound from the goalkeeper's pads. Isca won the premier division

of the West League, sponsored by Sun Life, on Saturday for the fifth successive year by beating Bristol 2—0. The goals came in the last twenty minutes, the first by Skinner from open play and the second from a penalty stroke At Surbton the Puritans de-feated the villagers of Dulwich by 2—1, the scorers being Shen-ley for the Puritans (2 penalty strokes) and Borrett for the Dulwich side.

Hægler knocks out Lee Atlantic City, March 7. Marvin Ragler retained his undisputed world middleweight title by knocking out willam "Caveman" Lee in 1 min 6 sec of the first round here today — Reuter.

LACROSSE

ATHLETICS

RAF COSFORD: AAA national indoor relays; such's 4 x 100 metres; Birchfield Harriers, 45.1 secs; men's 4 x 4 x 000 metres; Birchfield Harriers, 45.1 secs; men's 4 x 500 metres; Wolverhambton and Bilston, 5 mins 16.6 secs; men's medfield Harriers, 500 metres; BirchGeld Harriers, 500 metres; women's field Harriers, 500 metres; women's and Bilston, 5 mins; 47 8 cres; women's ponishion: G Evans (Huil), 3.800 pis; men's seviathion; P Brite (Shaitechmer), 3.735 bis, on Golden Marachon: 1, R Gomag (Mexico), 2hr. 11 min 49sec; 2, V Kotov (USSR), 223.05, 10 mins 49sec; 2, V Kotov (USSR), 213.52, 15 minsten (Norway), 2:15.52, 15, M
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BASKETBALL

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION: Atlanta
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Detroit Platons 115 New York Knicks
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Boston Calutes 100, Houston Rockets
98: Philadelphia 76ers 89, Allanta
Hawks 80: Phoenix Sons 110, Kansas
City Kings 98; Cleveland Cavaliers
111, Portland Trail Blazers 110,
Bullais 126: Golden State Warriors
117, San Diego Clippers 126: Seatlo
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BOXING NAMAIMO (Bridsh Columbia): Can-adian heavyweight title: T Berbick best G Rocete, ref. 11th round: PARIS: European heavyweight title: L.Rodriguez France) best A Syben

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(Ireland): 5:00.26; B, P Shorwell
(GB): 5:00.26. ICE HOCKEY

ICE HOCKEY

NATIONAL LEAGUE: New York
Islanders 6. New York Rangers 4: St
Louis Blues 5. Detroit Red Wings 1:
Minnesota North Stars 3. Vancouver
Canucks 1; Caterade Rockies 5.
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Los Angeles Kings 0: Chicago Black
Hawks 4. Philadelphia Flyers 1: Hartford Whalers 2: Buffalo Salves 2:
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ington Capitals 8. Calgary Flames 6:
Winnipeg Jets 2, Detroit Red Wings 0.

CACROSSE

SOUTH OF ENGLAND LEAGUE: First division: Buckhurst Hill 9, Hampstead 15: Kenton 11, Lee 6.

MONMOISTM: Women's International: Wales 6 Scotland 3, Juniors: Wales 3, Scotland 6, Scotland 7, Cambridge 1, Women: Oxford 70, Cambridge 1, Women: Oxford 7, Cambridge 6, Scoonds: Oxford 5, Cambridge 6, Scoonds: Oxford 5, Cambridge 8, RIFLE SHOOTING

LONGMOOR (Hampshire): Short range team match: 1. Royal Navy. 840 (E Brice, 1461; 2. National Westminster Bank RC, 828 (M Cosway 145): 5. Dariford RC, 815 (I Brown. 145): 5. Dariford RC, 815 (I Brown. 145): 1. Dariford RC, 815 (I Brown. 145): 1. K Boricy (Stalis) (182 out of 200):

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SHOW JUMPING DEN BOSCH: World Cap: 1. R Ehrens (Netherlands), 37.72 sec: 2. E Copper (Beletten). 4 fulls, 35.50: 3. T Pribmann (Austria). 8. 39.50: equal 4. D Broome (GB), R Smith (GB). F Lieges (WG), K Shron (Austria). D van Grosen (Netherlands), G Williams (WG), N Skellon (GB). SQUASH RACKETS

TORONTO: Invitational women's tournament: S Mcintyre (Canada), boat M Greenberg (USA), 5-0; J Maycock (Canada), beat B Savage (Canada), 5-0; B Digeline (Great Britain), beat L Noel (Canada), 5-0.

LOS ANGELES: Women's tournament:
Seenl-finals: M Jansover (Yugoslavia)
beat B J King (US). 6—4. 6—2. S
Hanika (WG) beat L Allen (US).
6—3. 6—4.
SALISBURY (Maryland): Volerans'
tournament: Quarter-finals: R Laver
(Australia) beat T Okker (Neiherlands. 4—6. 7—6. 6—1; M Riessan
(US) boat C Richay (US), 6—1,
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UNIVERSITY GAMES
CRYSTAL PALACE: University Games;
Oxford versus Cambridge: basketball:
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UNIVERSITY GAMES

WEIGHTLIFTING MOSCOW: Super heavtweight: A Pissarenko (USSR), ctean and jerk. 25-ikg (world record); combined, 45-kg (world record). International tournament: Ub to 100 kg; l. V Sots (USSR), snatch, 195 kg (world record); jerk: 253 kg (world record).

SKIING CONDITIONS IN BRIEF

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ATHLETICS

Jones puts England first By Norman Fox, Athletics Correspondent

By electing to miss the Golden Marathon in Greece, Hugh Jones, who may well have finished among the leaders, guaranteed himself a place in England's team for the world cross-country chamfor the world cross-country championships in Rome on March 21. Jones finished second to Dave Clarke in Saturday's English national championship mer an exact-

plonships in Rome on March 21. Jones finished second to Dave Clarke in Saturday's English national championship over an exacting nine-mile course at Roundhay Park, Leeds.

Jones, who is on an exchange course sindying town planning in Budapest, travelled from Hugary for a race which was not perfect preparation for the world championships. Whereas the Rome racecourse will be flat, Roundhay Park was undulating with one particularly painful 100 yards incline. It may well have been the sight of the place in the sight of the Roundhay Park was undulating team for Rome. The team also interest the particularly painful 100 cludes the Commonwealth Games 1,500 metres champion, Dave been the sight of the slope that persuaded the 1981 champion, Julian Goster, not to run and risk aggravating a leg injury.

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The battler of Marathon

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Vladimir Kotov, of the Soviet. Union, was second in two hours

13 min 34 sec and Greg Meyer
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(US) third in two hours

15 sec—all short of the course

16 record set in 1969 by Bill Adcocks
in two hours 11 min 7 sec.

The only Briton to finish the

Rodolfo Gomer, of Mexico, won the Golden Marathon today, entering the Athens Olympic Stadium with a comfortable stride under a steady drizzle, two hours 11 min 49 sec after setting out from Marathon village, a time reflect. 23rd kilometre.

the first modern Olympics staged in Athens. The winner then, the Greek Soyros Louis, ended in two hours 58 min 50 sec. Today all the runners carried an olive branch for five kilometres, which

From Mario Modiano, Athens, Mar 7

Nick Brawn, a promising Lon-doner, who was doing well until the twelfth idlometre, dropped

they laid at the foot of Marathon Mound, where 192. Athenian warriors killed in the Battle of Marathon in 490 BC were buried.

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They did their country is yesterday. Protter, taking wickers of Wayne Ladidus. Genff Boyoon it a cost of 20 rum, moved the ball wick in his opening overs and desertly took the bowling riverile Pollock and Richards on displays of stroke-making can scarcely have bettered. their prime.

Even they were outshome, I ever, by Gooche 114; which o in 172 minutes and only 134 b contained four fixes and 14 f and earned him the batting por 500 Rand sabout £280), exhibited every shot in the book—hooks, wives, pulls cuts—and a few of his invention:

ENGLISH XI

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G Bogroot c Race b Proces
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Bronze remains Britain favourite medal colour

From Michael Coleman, Milan, Marca 7 Bronze for Mrs Wendy Hoyte in Yesterday

seem insuperable. But the class showed in the end, the East German doing 7.11 against her world mark of 7.10.

vith the dangerman Yuri Cher-haryor mysteriously missing out the final, he could not repeat this time. It would have won him the gold. time. It would have won him the gold.

Mrs Rudge's bronze was won in the Battle of Milan — the first 3,000 metre yrace for women in these chamoforkings — the contessants being Agnese Possamia. locally ared, and Maricias Puica, to Romania. The three had left the others with five lags to go and as the bell sounded, the two latins got their clows into each other round the bend with Momma "Possamia" — she has two children — eventually coming out on top. top were excused a second of Pre-merger Organs is to seem interested for the central area of the central area of Price account for the central area of the central are

modern man: Classical Gomez plods on through rain



By Nicholas Keith

England earned an emphatic win over Wales at Twickenham on Saturday in their last match of this year's five nations championships. So Ireland become outright champions for the first time since 1974 and they must fancy their chances of completing the grand slam by beating France in Paris on March 20.

The English victory, by two tries and three penalty goals to a try and a dropped goal, was built in a pulsating first half. England or a pulsating first half, England were undismayed by early problems in the tight, where they looked uncomfortable in the scrummages and lost the first five lineouts — three of them on their own throw-in. However they were sharp in the loose and attacked from the outset.

The early incisiveness of England was rewarded by an 11-0 lead after 26 minutes. Thereafter the Welsh never came closer than the weish never came closer than seven points; with a feast of pressure and possession in the second half they failed to break the English defence. Donovan apart, the Welsh backs lacked the rapier qualities of recent predecessors.

The loss of Holmes with a shoulder injury six minutes into the second half was a grievous blow to Wales. Then Evans hit a post with a 30-metre penalty and Wales could make nothing of 10 minutes of relentless attack. minutes of relentless attack. Throughout the match England remained cool in defence and lively in attack. The English must be regretting the diffident performances against Scotland and Ireland, otherwise they would still be in contention for

To be Played: March 20 — France v keland; Wales v Scotland

It was no epic, not the farewell

celebration to the old-sryle Murrayfield which might have heen wished before work begins this week on the new East Stand.

But it was a workmanlike Scottish win on Saturday, by a

try, three penalty goals and a dropped goal to a try and a penalty and it ensures that France will decline from last season's grand-slam winners to

this season's wooden spoonists.
The French declension

curious, even by their erratic standards. The champagne which characterized great French XVs

of the past has gone flat; even the strength and body of such as the 1977 vintage are missing. Too many of this season's French team look like wine drinkers farced to subsist on a half-pint of stale hiter and on Saturday walks

stale bitter and on Saturday only

Sallefranque proved a reminder of better days. Blanco would have done but the ball never ran his way. The Irish must be

hoping that France are not preserving their best until last.

There may have been some satisfaction in French domination of the lineout, largely through Joinel and Carpentier,

who moved up to jump at five.
But their scrum was badly
disrupted and there was a

or there was a wooden look to the French in their loose play. The dexterity of passing has gone, a disease which spread in the second half to the

Even the weather turned its back on the French. Cloud hung over the Pentland Hills all day and there was heavy rain during the morning, though it died away

the morning, though it died away during the game. Mingled throughout were minor bouts of temper, in which Tomes and Rodriguez distinguished themselves, which did nothing to add to the general flow of the game. Tony Trigg, in his first international, did well to keep the acromony from boiling over, aided by Messrs Quittenton and Welshy who three times drew his

The ease with which Gosforth, current Northern merit table runners-up to Liverpool, brushed aside highly-placed Sale by 30-3 on Saturday suggested that the search for final leadership of the

table is becoming a two-horse

Simpson, a magnificently forceful No 8, was the key figure, storming over for three tries and generally suggesting

that Leicester will do well to keep

a tight eye on him in the John Player Cup next week.

By Steve Elliott

This was, above all, a great team effort by England. Within that context there were noticeable individual displays: Slemen starred in attack and defence, scoring the first try and equalling Peter Squires's record of 29 caps on the wing.

Carlton had a brilliant oppor-tunist try and made some crunching tackles; Woodward was at his safest and speediest in the centre; Colclough was unu-sually mobile and effective in the ioose and the English back row emerged with honours even after a fine battle with the Welsh trio.

For Wales, Burgess played staunchly and won a great amount of ball at rucks and mauls. The two young locks, Sutton and Moriarty, made promising first appearances at Twickenham in a pack who played their hearts out against a heavier English eight (Price won his 37th cap to break Denzil William's record for a prop). But the forwards were not well the forwards were not well served by their backs: Davies had an off day with his touch kicking and only Donovau among the three-quarters showed character-

the England's refreshing enterprise in the opening quarter was rewarded with a well-worked try on the left by Slemen after 13 minutes. Wales's problems started when Davies failed to find touch; Cusworth broke the Welsh cover with a darting run and looped a pass to Woodward, the ball was moved swiftly to Hare and the Slemen, who cut inside and set up the bullocking Blakeway for a charge close to the Welsh line.

England wor a large close to the England wor a large close to the They were beautiful and set up the bullocking Blakeway for a charge close to the Welsh line.

England won the ruck set up by Blakeway and Smith timed to perfection his final pass to Slemen, who touched the ball down just before he was bundled into the corner flag by Acker-man. Hare, who had fallen short with two early penalties from with two early penalties from halfway, also missed the conver-sion from the touchline; but five minutes later he kicked a penalty after he had been late-tackled by Rees.

Davies's bad spell continued

Scots recipe for turning vintage

wine into mild and bitter

France 7

If the Scots were slightly fortunate not to be more than 7-3 down at half-time, they made up for it in the second half with

some grafting forward play which may have evoked memor-ies of last summer's tour in New

Zealand. During that period they took a grip on affairs which the French could seldom break with the new cap, White, making an early impression with his zest in the rucks and his ability at the tail of the lineout.

Scrummage superiority was established as early as the second

established as early as the second scrum of the game when, under pressure, Joinel handled the ball and Irvine kicked the 32-metre penalty. Unfortunately, however, Scotland lacked the confidence to handle from set-piece possession: it is the easiest, and not always the most creative thing in the

the most creative, thing in the world to hoof the ball in the air

and hope the other side will make a mistake and the Scottish back division is worth more than that. French backs with more confi-

dence would have run the ball so liberally bestowed straight back

Nor was Irvine to live up to the promise of his early goal. He dropped the first high ball which

came his way from the massive boot of Lescarboura and was

adrift with three more penalties before half-time. Sallefranque proved no more accurate but, if the French had been able to

string their passes together, they would surely have scored after

Lescarboura had broken down the left and the ball had been rucked back. It was left to Rives to wipe out

the Scottish lead. With a French scrum going backwards Carpen-tier picked up and passed to Martinez whose dart to the blind

side took the entire Scottish defence with him. When he slipped the ball back inside to

Simpson poses a formidable threat

Across the Great North Road at Northern, Liverpool were confirming the logic and justice of their merit table standing with a 24-9 win. Heaton at centre, Jones at scrum half and the No 8, Moss, had excellent games and

Gosforth led 18-0 at half-time, through an early drop goal by Johnson, penalties from Johnson and Young (two), and Simpson's first try, which Johnson converted. In the second half Simpson's two tries were both converted, by Johnson. Sale's points came from a second-half penalty from Lowden.

Across the Great North Road his conversion of Hescon's respectable proportions. Mosthern did well to hold the score to respectable proportions. Most, in particular, was impressive and few back row men formidable work rate in the tight with a bewildering and constructive mobility.

at their benefactors.



when he missed a reasonable easy chance of a dropped goal. Then Carlton stretched England's lead with a try which would have delighted Gareth Edwards or Holmes.

From a Welsh drop-out Smith, the ebullient England captain, was buried in a ruck. Carlton moved up to the scrum half position and, as the ball popped

At the indirect kick the ball was shifted back to Davies who landed a lovely dropped goal. A 14-7 half-time lead was useful but by no means decisive as England turned to face the swirling wind. They were heartily relieved to see Holmes go off to a sympathetic cheer, holding his right shoulder, six minutes into the second half.

Hare kicked a crucial 40-metre penalty when Squire was judged to have barged at a lineout. This heralded the Welsh siege but the England defence stood firm against the tide of assaults which quickend in page and intensity

Rives there was no one between the French captain and the goal-line but Sallefranque slipped and missed the e2sy conversion. He atoned by kicking a penalty just before the interval.

After 14 minutes of the second

After 14 minutes of the second balf, the Scots were back in front. Irvine kicked his second penalty and Renwick, from a lineout, dropped a goal. Thus encouraged Scotland began to play the ball wide and earned the dividend: Baird switched down the centre of the field, Laidlaw bolted away from the ruck like a rabbit heading for its hole and when the forwards won the second ruck five metres out, Laidlaw put Rutherfordd over for his sixth international try. Irvine

his sixth international try. Irvine missed the conversion but kicked

SCOTLAND: A R Ivvne (Hend's, capturt);
K W Robertson (Melrose), J. M Renwick
(Hawski), D. I. Johnston (Wastonians), G. R. T.
Baird (Keloc); J. Y Rutherford (Selkirk), R. J.
Laidlaw (Jedforesi); J. Aliken (Gaia), C. T.

Baird (Ketoo); J. Y. Rutherford (Seklirk), R. J.
Liddaw (Leidforest); J. Alkton (Gala), C. T.
Dears (Hawick), J. G. Milne (Heriot's), J. H.
Calder (Stewart's Mehville FP), W.
Cuthbertson (Kilmarnock), A. J. Tomes
(Hawick), D. B.White (Gata), i. A. M. Paxton
(Sellurk),
FRANCE: M. Sollefranque (Dav); S. Blanco
(Blarrikz), P. Perrier (Bayonne), C. Belaocain

(Bayrinz), P. Perrier (Bayrinno), C. Belascain (Bayrinne), L. Perrior (Bayrinne), J-P. J-ecorboura (Dax) G Martinez (Toutouse), M. Gremaschi (Lourdos), P. Dintrens (Tarbes), D. Dubroca (Agen), J-P. Rives (Toutouse, captain), L. Rodriguez (Mord-de-Marian), D. Revallier (Grauffied), J-L. Joinel (Brive), M. Carpentier (Lourdes).

CLUB MATCHES: Birkenhead Park 14, Vale of Lune 3: Bradiord 7: Oftey 19; Camborne 0, Bath 16: Devorport Services 3, Plymouth Ablon 12: Eshburgh Wanderers 10, Jedforst 17: Gosfort 30, Sele 3; Heistax 3, Proston Grassloppers 10; Herrogate 18, Chekenhean 0; Hartlepool Rovers 32, Darlington 3; Heedingley 3, Nottingham 11; Langholm 0, Fyide 42: London Scottish 7, Richmond 15; London Webah 13, Cardiff 20; Loughborough Students 3, Broughton Park 10; Metrosa 14, Kendel 4; Metro Police 32, Cambridge University 0; Mortey 15, Marchester 10; Moseley 13 Blackheath 6; Mex Brighton 4, Hull and East Ricing 3, Northern 9, Liverpool 24; Ordel 16, Witneston 4; Oxford University 17; Rugby 0; Roundhag 10; Biradingham 0; Royal High 20, Parcy Park 4; Saracens 23, Runeston 5, Settlik 16, Watsefield 18; Huddensfield 9; Watsonians 12, Middissbrough 7; West Hartlepool 22, Middissbrough 7; West Hartlepool 22, Middissbrough 7; West Hartlepool 22,

arpenber (Lourdes). Referee: J. A. F. Trigg (England).

a third penalty.

re-run of past matches, only with England firmly in the driving seat this time holding off the opposition and calmly dictating the destiny of the game. This clearcut win was badly needed after England's disastrous run against Wales in the last 20 years.

In the cold light of yesterday morning the invevitable clarity of hindsight may perhaps have convinced the Welsh captain, Careth Davies, that his decision to face a swirling breeze during the first half contributed to a memorable England victory.

While the seven-point disadvan-tage at half-time was not insurmountable, the expected resilience of the Welsh, normally responsive to such a challenge, failed to materialize, notably because of the departure of Holmes, on whom the whole of the Principality had pinned their faith. Thereafter the Welsh play contained a discernable measure ntained a discernable mea of desperation, easily countered by a resolute England defence.

to have barged at a lineout. This heralded the Welsh siege but the England defence stood firm against the tide of assaults which quickened in pace and intensity after Evans hit a post with a penalty.

Towards the end it was like a lineout. This heralded the sharp contrast, many will remember Wales's recoverey at Twickenhum in 1970 when Ray Hopkins, having already replaced the injured Gareth Edwards to win his solitary cap, spearheaded a startling assault of a 13-3 deficit which resulted in a 17-13

Bath offer

Cornish

consolation

Bath kept alive their chances of qualifying for next season's John Player Cup, and Camborne's were

veer and fluctuate, and the brave

The first Bath try, after 20

minutes, sprang from a charac teristic, dodging run by Horton.

They began the second half

so the substitution may not have been altogether to Bath's

them, on the left after a burst

CAMBORNE: M Colina, S.
Rogera, B Wits, R. Mitchell, S. Wobber, M.
Pellow, R. Mankee, R. Tonkin, J. Trevorrow (captain), D. Rood, N. Tregenza, C. Durani, S.
Bowles, R. Thomas, K. Mitchell BATH: C. Martin; P. Simmons, M. Hunt, A. Roce, P. Trevackie; J. Horton, S. Lewis; C. Lilloy, G. Logg, R. Lee, S. Jones (rep. R. Lye), R. Hakin, N. Gayrond, R. Spurrall, J. Hall, Roteroe, G. Crawford (London).

Ledoux fight date

Minneapolis, Minnesota, March
5 — American heavyweight Scott
Ledoux will fight South Africa's
Gerrie Coetzee at Johannesburg
on March 27.

been altoget disadvantage.

gradually faltered

By Alan Gibson

press), C. R. Woodward (Leicester), P. W. bdge (Leicester), M. A. C. Stemen Nerpool); L. Cusworth (Leicester), S. J. mith (Sale, capt); C. E. Snear (Nesport), P. Wheeler (Leicester), P. J. Blakeway loucester), N. C. Jessons (Moseley), S. Inbridge (Gostorth), M. J. Colclough sputierne), P. J. Winterbottom (Headingley). Scott (Cardill).

David Duckham comments

victory. Yet now, Wales must ing breadth to the three-quarter defeat Scotland on Saturday play, with the assistance no week to avoid considerable doubt of an innate understanding embarrassment near the foot of with his club colleagues, Woodward and Dodge. the championship table.

the championship table.

The Eugland performance was highly commendable, but not completely without blemish. Dodge, for example, normally very dependable, was guilty of allowing the surprisingly illusive Donovan to escape his clutches on more than one occasion. Even so, it was particularly gratifying that, after a fearfully ponderous beginning against Scotland and Ireland, the team completed the season on the highest of notes. The retirement of Beaumont was initially considered a major threat to England's credibility, but the charismatic Smith shouldered his new responsibility with considerable aplomb and com-posure. For him, the eclipse of Dick Jeeps's longstanding record Dick Jeeps's longstanding record tally of caps at scrum half was a significant milestone.

The 1982-83 campaign may seem a distant prospect at this moment, yet one feels secure in the knowledge that "Budge" Rogers, chairman of the England the caper and the caper with

Though inconceivable at the outset, the eventual recall of the Leicester pair, Hare and Cusworth, at the expense of Rose and Huw Davies, whose form sadly declined, was more than justified. Hare proved his worth in Paris with a highly efficient all-round display, whereas Cusworth, the most adventurous of Rogers, chairman of the England selectors, and the coach, Mike Davis, will already be planning ahead in the light of the forthcoming tour to North America — a fine opportunity not only to re-establish the depth of talent within the England squad, worth, the most adventurous of runners, has injected a refresh-

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but also to enable Smith to extend his claim as captain for the new season.

Davies

) (rep G. Wilhams,
gend), A Philips (Carden,
ooi), R. C. Burgess (Etibre Vale
"Pontypool), R. D. Moris
"Cardel), J. Ser

scored for Park from a miss-move in the centre involving

occasion as Park's had been when Condon scored. Graves kicked the winning penalty from 40 metres for a lineout offence,

LONDON BRISH: P O'Donnelt: J Bates, A Walkinson, N Marphy, D Walsh: H Conton, 8 Marphy: A Newberry, G Beringer. P Enevolution, W Jones, G McCarthy, J Steeltan, M Spark, M Smythe (capitalin), ROSSLYN PARK J Graves. J Gd, N Anderson (rep., J Aged), P Warffeld, S Tridy, J Thornton, D Smith: P Curtis. P Keith-Rosch, P Hinton, B Cooper, A Rodgers, P Achlord, R Montgomer-y, N Mantell (capitan).
Referee: J Little (London)

should have been tackled. Gill

By Peter Marson

Saracens.....

However, the panic was stemmed, not least by Horton and the Irishman; Hakin, who was the best forward on the field. Met. Police.....6 The late tries were deserved Trevaskis scored the first of them, on the left after a burst by Lewis and then, in injury time, Simmons ran hard for the right-hand corner. It was some slight consolation to the Camborne crowd that three of the conquerors, Martin, who kicked two conversions, Trevaskis and Spur-rell, all of whom p;ayed well were

good humour. It was all easily understood for suddenly Sara-cens had won three games in a row, scoring 65 points against 27,6 and they had moved away from the bottom of the London merit table by virtue of yesterday'

Saracens were heroes all, but

SARACENS: D. Gregory: S. Miller, C. Sabayode, P. Kamara, P. Barcilon, S. Halford, F. Steudman (captain), C. Roberts, N. Branch, D. Coomber, A. Keay, M. Pattison, A. Dawrson, K. Douglas, M. Newcombe.

N. JOUGAS, M. Newcombe.

METROPOLITAIN POLICE: M. Steer, P. Tiddy
(captain), R. Locke, P. Thurtow, R. Willems, L.

Barrell, G. Porter, A. Patrick, S. Jones, B.

Ford, M. Wood, W. Mailiprice, S. Roch, L.

Adamson, I. Fodd.

Referec, R. P. Passell (London).

Graves brings to an end successful Irish run

By Gordon Allan

London Irish

at Sunbury yesterday. Otherwise the teams were level at a goal and a try each. Apart from their defeat by Coventry in the John Player Cup, it was the first time the Irish had lost at home in over year.
The Irish have won the London

Player Cup, and Camborne's were correspondingly diminished on Saturday. The score was two goals and a try to nil. It was an undistinguished game, to put it mildly, but the players had much to contend with. Rain poured down, the ground soon became a mire and a strong wind blew.

Bath had it behind them in the first half and it seemed doubtful whether the six points by which they led at half-time would be sufficient. However, it began to yeer and fluctuate, and the brave The trish have won the London merit table, in which they beat Park at Roehampton last September. So yesterday's game had no extra meaning. It was no more than a game, and not one to recall, either, at léast if you happen to be a wearer of the green. efforts of the Camborne pack

green.
The Irish had many more chances than Park but failed to use them. Park, 10 points down after 25 minutes, owed their win mainly to Graves's all-round excellence, the dogged work of their forwards, and the cultured play of Thornton at stand-off. Spurrell carried on and Lee finished it. Bath were making a lot of mistakes, not all of them forgiveable, even by the weather. In the first half Irish eyes were

They began the second half more convincingly but had a bad period in the middle of it. After a wild kick by Lewis, in defence, there was a sequence of errors, the Cornish crowd showing mounting enthusiasm. Furthermore, Jones had to go off with a back injury. He was replaced by Lye; the old warrior, coming fresh to the mud, revelled in it, so the substitution may not have The sun stared straight down the field at them. In spite of it, they scored twice: Smythe charged down a kick by Tiddy on the Park line for the first try, and Condon ran through from a scrum for the second, which O'Donnell converted. Condon

Saracens find safe haven

For the best part of this season Saracens have drifted helplessly in a sea of uncertainty. Up to the end of February they had endured a wretched six months

in which four meagre successes stood against a chapter of defeats and cancellations. But, for the time being at any rate, spirits at Southgate have been uplifted and there is a scent of optimism in the air.
This was born of Saracens'

victory nine days ago against Cambridge University, and their triumph here on Saturday against Nuneaton, whom Saracens beat 23-9. By defeating Metropolitan Police by a goal, a try and four penalty goals to two penalties at Southgate yesterday Saracens could scarce contain their

It was good to see their elder statesmen, Roy Fawden, David Grammer and Stan Harrison, smiling again, and bubbling with

Saracens' joy was in marked contrast to police despondency and dejection. It would be fair, though, to plead mitigating circumstances for police ranks had been broken and they had taken a bruising by routing Cambridge University 32-0 on Security. Saturday. . .

chief among them was their full back Gregory, who helped himself to 14 points. Miller and Kamara scored tries while Williams kicked the polic penal-

RUGBY LEAGUE

UP-TO-DATE **TABLES**

The best deputy in the north-west

impressive and few back row men managed to combine such a formidable work rate in the tight with a bewildering and constructive mobility.

Liverpool led 9-6 at the interval through a penalty by Killen and his conversion of Hescott's try. In the second half they made sure of victory with further tries from McKeon and Merry, Killen converting both and adding another penalty. Calvert kicked three penalties for the losers.

One of the most spectacular and free-scoring games of the season was provided by Widnes and Leeds at Naughton Park. Widnes won 35-17 in a match which provided 11 tries and 80 minutes of continuous action. Although the Leeds defence must take a degree of criticism for conceding eight of those tries nothing eight of those tries nothing should detract from the Widnes performance which was exciting, skillful and purposeful through-

Pis Although both sides were without key players due to injury without key played better than the young scrum half Hulme, who is cored two excellent tries in the as absence of the international Cregory. Two tries also came from Basnett, the powerful left winger, and Hughes in the centre is got the 200th try of his career. Tony Myler, John Myler and Wright got the other Widnes tries and John Myler kicked five goals

and a dropped goal. For Leeds, who never stopped trying. Dick scored a try and four goals and other tries came from Ward and Holmes.

There was no change in the top three of the First Division table, as Leigh and Hull also won comfortably. Leigh thrashed Wakefield Trinity 33-8 and on Humberside Hull beat Barrow 21-5. For Hull Dane O'Hara, the New Zealander winger scored three tries. Wigan continued to move away from the bottom reaches of the table beating York, who are certain to be relegated, by 35-11. Whitfield scored a try and seven goals for way form at Huddersfield. However, Cardiff City faltered in losing 13-15 to Keighley.

Halifix, by winning at Blackpool made it three wins in four matches within a week.

Warrington, who dismissed

Warrington, who dismissed their coach Bill Benyon, received a welcome fillip in beating Hull Kingston Rovers 14-6, thus denting the outside hopes. Rovers had their international second row forward Casey sent second row forward Casey sent off in the second half and this

FIRST DIVISION: Featherstone 7. Whitehaven 6: Fullium 5, Bradford Northern 15; Hull 21, Barrow 5: Leign 33, Wakefield Trinity 8; Warrington 14, Hull KR 6; Widnes 35, Leets 17; Wigen 35, Vork 11. SECOND DIVISION: Barley 9, Swinton 12, Blackpool 8, Halliax 14; Bramley 15, Huyton 10; Carditt 13, Kespiley 15; Develoy 18, Rochdale 14; Huddensfeld 9, Cardale 13; Hunslet 10, Safford 10 (at Batley); Workington 13, Oldham 17.

Bradford show their class

a goal.
Fulham fancied their chances against Bradford especially when Bridges, their hooker, was sent off by the referee on the half-hour, for raising his foot needlessly as a scrum toppled in front of him. This brought to head a steamy, bad-tempered phase of the match.

Reblind Carroll and Alan Behind, Carroll and Alan

Behind, Carroll and Alan Redfern stamped their class on the game. Bradford sounded an carly warning when van Bellen charged upfield and sent Grayshon on his way the the Fulham line after six minutes. Grayshom was stopped short and had to play it back to Alan Redfearn. Fulham were so busy watching

Fulham 5, Bradford N 15

Fulham's relegation troubles deepened at Craven Cottage yesterday as they failed to pick up the scrum half, who dodged his way over. Carroll added the goal.

Shortly after half-time, Bradford wortcome Bradford Northern, even though the Yorkshire side had to play with 12 men for all but the first 30 minutes. They eventually went down by three tries and three goals to a try and a goal.

Fulham fancied their characterists against Bradford the carroll added the goal.

Shortly after half-time, Bradford produced a superb movement. They pushed Fulham off the ball in scrum, and the ball to came out to David Redfearn, who had goal.

Fulham fancied their characterists against Bradford their characterists.

Fulham tried to come back as Tuffs picked up a loose ball behind yet another collapsing scrum and sent Crossley on a 50-metre run for a try. Diamond kicked the goal. Bradford had the last word, however, when Hale, a replacement, darted through the centre for a try, Carroll adding his third goal. Faltzente D. ABert, J. Croseley, H. M'Barki, S Diamond, C. Radhone; D. Eckeraloy, R Bowder; H. Beverley, A. Kinsey, A. Gourley, S. Hoare Grep, M. Waleh), M. Herdman, N. Tuffa.

Brave Griffiths on the sever fortune also in the sever frame. Davis had shot ahead we world champion, Stove Davis. He gave further prior of his challeage in the 17-frame final of the hiternational tournament; sponsfeed by Yamana Organs, at There followed a tense strug.

asked to leave the room and cauback to the scene of action compile a smooth break of. There followed a tense strug; for the colours, which were is favourably for Davis, who to the brown, blue and pink in row, to go into a 4-3 lead.

At the start of the day Downstoner of the start of the day Downstoned irrepressible, breaks 75 and 41 enabling him to rawy with the first frame. Be then Griffiths threw everything he had into a stirring challem and thrilled the crowd not on with the bravery of his recoverbut also the fluency of his breaks. He had 55 in the secon frame, 83 in the third, and 67 the fourth, to go into the first interval with a 3-1 lead.

Slowly and surely, Davis converted the ground he had be determined. chairage in the lagrame han of the hiernational tournament; spousared by Yamaha Organs, at the assembly Rooms, Derby, yesterday. At the history stage, the stores were fied at four frames all, Sydney Priskin writes.

The eighth frame developed into a tremulous climax with Griffiths, needing all the colours for a 12-spotting of the black. His break of 27 ended when he missed a feasible shot on the browne but his thopes were revived when Davis made a blank visit. Eaving Griffiths with a run on the brown, blue and pink. Davis was left with a difficult shot bot the black which he missed and Griffiths was in a position to pot it, which he did, to leve at 62-62.

So the black came up again and Slowly and surely, Day recovered the ground he had lo-levelling the frame score at 3-3. (his way to a break of 74, 1 So the black came up again and Griffides broke off leaving it fairly safe. Davis again played a risky shot, his luck running out nis way to a break of 74, 1 played one magnificent shot, silken stroke enabling him slide the black past a red into or of the middle pockets.

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GOLF

Nicklaus storms ahead

From Mitchell Platts, Orlando, Mar 7

whether the spring-like firmes of youth would win the day over sheef-experience.

Many of the younger stars of the tour were jugiors when the practice of playing. 36 holes on the bast day in championships, such as the Open and United States Open, ended Jack Nicklaus, who won his first Open in 1966, one year after the championship was extended fromthree days to four, knew he possessed the experience to handle today's special pressures and his felt that he had played enough golf this year to be in the right, shape to retain his sharfings sover eight hours.

Nicklaus started the third round sharring the leader of the 1982 United States money list, and Scott Hoch Since he had finished his second round on Friday before a ferocious storm led to a suspension of play, he was able to return home to North Palms Beach and work on one or two adjustments in his swing on Saturday while the second round fromt the tenth hole and he

The final day of the £150,000 required only two holes Bay Hill classic posed an inform his rivals that he mea intriguing equation. With 36 business, Nicklaus, who has n helesto be completed in the ten won since the United States PG noise to be completed in the ten won since the United States PG committed conclusion time, set 1930, birdled both of them by the television schedule, it came down to 2 question of whether the spring-like fitness of yards 14th hole, where his to short finished in a bunker from the came out too strong.

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SQUASH RACKETS

Briars heading for top

were sor a lineout offence, and missed a much easier kick soon afterwards.

Bates, the most dangerous runner on the Irish side, found himself clear in the last few minutes, but the pass to him from Neil Murphy was forward it was only one of many frustrations for the Irish. Still, they have the triple crown as consolation.

McCarthy, the Irish lock, has been invited to play for the Marist club at Hawkes Bay, in New Zealand, this summer. He leaves after the Irish game against Pontypridd on March 27, and returns next September. He was recommended by Earle Kirton, the Harlequins Coach and former Hawkes Bay and All Blacks stand-off.

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Steve Baddeny, kept out of Saturday's team by a persistent virus, will not ylay again until the All-England championships from March 24 to 28.

Two in a row for Mueller

Peter Mueller, the Swiss skier, scored his third successive World Cup downhill rictory when he won at Aspen. Colorado, on Sanaday, Mueller's victory — his seepad in 24 heurs — in the last downhill of the season moved him into a die with Steve Pudborski in the overall standings for the downhill, though the Capadian had already cinched the championship on the basis of a better record over the season. Mueller, who might have won Capadian had lalready clinched the championship on the basis of a better record beer the season.

Mueller, who might have won the downhill championship if he had not broken an ankle last softenber, redorded a time of limin 46.50set, which was the fastest of the spek at Aspen and more than half a second quicker than that of the surprise runnerup; Todd Brookes of Canada Podborski was fourteenth for the second successive day and Phil Mahre, the oferall World Cup champion, was ninth.

French take

Spanish title

Four down at lunch after hairing taken three puts on the 18th green, Vicki Thomas of Wales went on ito lose by 6 and 5 to Celia. Morgue D'Algue of France in the 36-hole final of the Spanish Ladies Championship at Mahres 1, Stough 6. The Spanish Ladies Championship at Market Purey 0, RAF 1

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Eigland went to Copenhagen to glay Denmark today with reasonable claims to being considered the third best badminton faction in the world, Richard Raigin writes.

The 5-1 win against Japan at Farnborough on Saturday completed a clean sweep of all five internationals, sponsored by Crest Hotels, and that followed England's successful series against Sweden, India and Malaysia in the past two years. The England manager, Ciro Cinglio, said: "I think only China and Judonesia are better."

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IN BRIEF

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Graham Jones, the 24-year-old Manchester professional cyclistic came close to winning its Saturday's Het Volk circuit, the first classic road race of the year in Belgium, John Wilcockson writes. Riding for the Peugeot Shell team, Jones finished 2t Suand on Wear seconds behind the lone winner shear and the anager seconds behind the lone winner shear and the final kilometre. It was the anager shear iders in the final kilometre, with the challent riders in the final kilometre. It will be the second with another Manchester rider a soft with another of the formed in the final 25 miles and soft with the hard and formed in the final 25 miles are specifically another with the soft with soft with the soft with the soft with the soft with the soft with soft with soft with the soft wit

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By Stuart Jones, Football Correspondent

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hat was that about the laws eeding amending is anyone ho was at Stamford Bridge on anurday would agree, there is orbing wrong with bothall as any as managers blessed with maility and players lessed with cill embrace a spirit of commit-ent that is houest, adventure let is fearless, and authoon that

unyielding.
This was one of | season's ore important games a quarter nal of the FA Cup 3oth sides puld have been fogiven for iding in the shell of self-reservation that stews the ands of too many Saturdays, stead they came out and threw uckets of rich excitment and are trickery all over the fiernoon.

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Tottenham's progration, lough, should be covered it as far from ideal Dlayed in ne King's Road train jams, ney arrived only half an hour efore the kick off andthen had o borrow a set of white shorts rom their hosts. It took them anther 30 inutes to unscramble he traffic in the pitch itself, but then the

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By Clive White

Crystal Palace ...

Queen's Park Fingers

In retrospect to odds were tracked high gainst Steve Kember, the actig manager of Trystal Palace. Apart-from his two precarious sistion, with a thin man breatbag down his neck for results, to had to face on Saturday a meager who had notimate knowlede of his team and do so not much it his rival's backyard, more ke in his own sounge.

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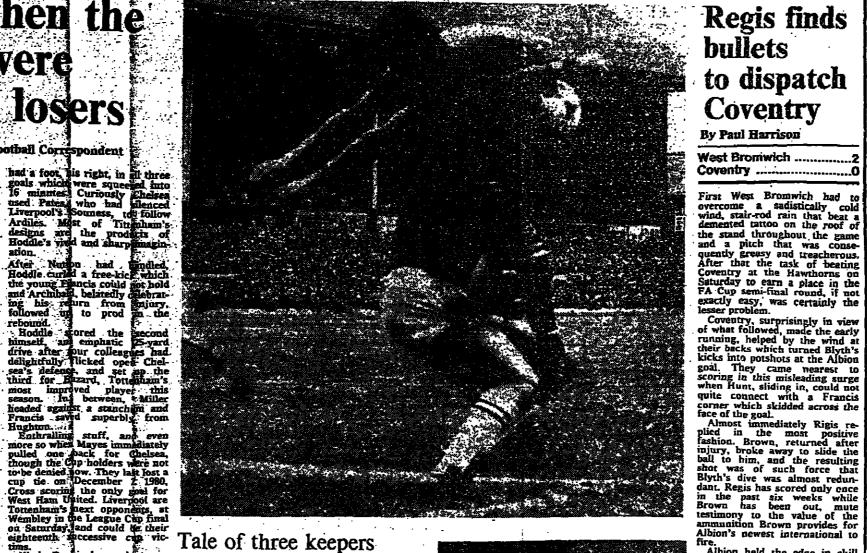
Given all this ferry Venables and his Queen's Park Rangers side ought to ave swept up Palace rather note assily than they did on their lastic carpet at Shepherds Bush But in the end it was intimacid or the pitch that counted fo more in an FA Cup quarter-fill that was, perhaps, too inistious for its own good.

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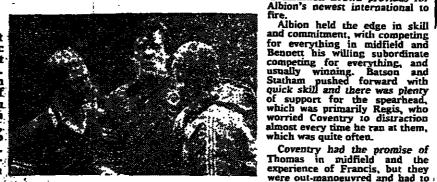
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eighteenth successive can victims. Kieth Burjinshaw, the manager; has one immediate problem, and two others lingering in the background. First he must decide whether to risk recalling Villa, playing in the reserves today and on Thursday, in place of figurard. Then he must await Cesar Menotti's decision on Ardiles. The little Argentine expects his national team manager to allow Tale of three keepers

Assualt and somersault and assault again. Mark Wallington is turfed over Chic Bates's shoulder as immovable object collides with irresistible force at Leicester. Wallington had to retire hurt, leaving Alan young, a sniper rather than a last line of defence, to keep out the pretenders from Gay Meadows. The wincing Young's turn to retire hurt came soon after half-time, leaving the most undesirable snatch of Cup real estate on Saturday to Steve Lynet. Yesterday's bulletin on Wallington: doubtful for tomorrow's outing to Chelsea because of a wonky thigh.



Leicester can go all the way

By Vince Wright

Shrewsbury ...

national team manager to allow him to stay on for the PA Cup semi final on April 3 pefore flying off to join the Woold Cup squad.

outlook that was not exactly bristling with adventure. Rang-ers, themselves hadmade a small concession towards positive thinking by playing three for-wards instead of the normal two.

Leicester City, four times beaten FA Cup Finalists, are well equipped to make it fifth time lucky if this splendid performance against Shrewsbury Town is any guide. No one who was at Fibert Street on Saturday could possibly underrate Leicester's chances of reaching Wembley again and lifting the FA Cup for the first time.

the first time.

Even Tottenham Hotspur, the holders, and the team of the would not relish meetmotient, would not reuse meet-ing Leicester in this mood. To win a Cup rie by three goals is one thing; to win by such a margin after your goalkeeper, who is also your captain, has to retire injured in the first balf, is something else.

On paper this sixth round the looked the least glamorous of the four Cup matches. Both Leicester and Shrewsbury have failed to make an impact on the second division this season and neither was expected to bring the house down. But in the event, that is what happened.

The most startling fact of a memorable 90 minutes was that three players douned the goalwards instead of the normal two. The energetic and eager Stainrod was the best bet we had of saving the distch. But he was far 1000 greedy Still you had to admire his ambition, particularly one shot from 40 yds, which bounced high off the firm carper and almost caught Barron napping.

By the second half Wicks and Gilbert, whose answer to the abrasive surface was a neaf line in knickerbockers, had got to grips with Palace's sterile strike

keeper's jersey for Leicester. Wallington's replacement was Young and Young, himself, was temporarily replaced by Lynex at the start of the second half after

with McNally.

With Young and Lynex keeping clean sheets and Meirose, a substitute, scoring two of Leicester's five goals Shrewsbury were forced to acknowledge that it was not their day. And bookings for Arkins and Bates, plus a own goal by Griffin which changed the course of the match. changed the course of the match,

Although May headed Leicester into a sixth minute lead, there was little inkling of the extraordinary events that were to follow. Wallington hurt his thigh making a crucial save from Bates after 21 minutes, but his insistence on carrying on while his mobility was impaired probably cost I agreeter two grals

LEICESTER CTTY: M Wallington (sub' J Melrose); T Wilhelms, P Fruer, A Peake, L May, J O'Neill, S Lynex, G Lineker, A Young, I Wilson, E Kelly. SHREWSBURY TOWN: R Wardle, J King, trub: J Dungworth, P Johnson, S Cross, C Griffin, J Keey, D Tong, B Mickelly, I Alkins, S Bigglins, C Baides. Reletee: D Richardson (Great Herwood).

and gave the match another fascinating twist. Shrewsbury made effective use

of their tall strikers, Atkins and Biggins, by pumping long, high balls into the heart of Leicester's

by the way they refused to panic arier falling behind so early. But if the first half was Shrewsbury's by a whisker, the second was

Lacking a specialist goal-keeper, they wisely decided that attack was the best form of defence and destroyed Shrewsbu-

After 64 minutes Melrose toe ended an inch perfect Lynex centre past Wardle and then

Kelly and Melrose set up Lineker for goal nimber four. When Melrose completed the scoring with a header a minute from time he hammered home the unmis-

takable message that better teams

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Leicester's by a mile.



ost every time he ran at them

which was quite often.

Coventry had the promise of Thomas in midfield and the experience of Francis, but they were out-manoeuvred and had to rely largely on the breakaways of Bodak and Hunt, with the threat in the centre of Hateley and Thompson. They hung on, fighting a losing battle, until the second goal, 20 minutes into the second half, ended the match as a contest. The goal had an element

contest. The goal had an element of luck about it; Owen, receiving from Batson, jinked past: two defenders into the area, shot and saw it deflected, to trickle

saw it deflected, to trickle agonizingly slowly past a wrong-

footed Blyth.

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Owen: made the most of his

shot blocked, by a fellow forward, one deflected for a corner, and to head wide from a cross. In reply Hateley, arousing momentarily visions of his father's aerial ability, headed just wide in what was Coventry's last and best chance.

West Brom have a habit of winning the FA Cup every 14 years, and that anniversary is now due — the last times were in 1954 and 1968. Perhaps Ronnie Allen, acorer of 23 cup goals for Albion and now manager, had

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WEST BROWNICH ALBION: M Grow, B Basson, D Statham, M Bennett, J Wile, A Robertson, A Brown, A King, C Rogis, G Owen, S Mischenile.

COVENTRY CITY: J Blyfit, B Roberts, D Barnan, G France, G Gibbsple, J Hagen, P Bodak; D Thomas, M Hateley, G Thompson, S Buttl.

ree: P Wills (Meadowfield, Co Durham).

Leading scorers

FIRST DIVISION: Keegan (Southerpton), 24, Aush (Liverpoot), 22, Repla (West Brond), 20, Brazil (Inswich), 19; McDermott (Liverpoot), 18; Dalgish (Liverpoot), 16, Francis (Menchester City), Wark (Ipswich), 14, SECOND DIVISION: Staired (OPP), 18, White (Liver), Samister (Snemed Word), 16; Garner (Backburn), 15, THRID DIVISION: Cassels (Oxford), 21, Levies (Fultam), 17; Kellow (Exoler), 18; Thomas (Oxford), 15; Coney (Fulham), Harbord (Brissol City), Fietcher (Hudderskeld), 14.

THE WOOLK -

Young, the man who saved Leicester, cannot save himself from the wrath of the

LEAGUE FOOTBALL

Chasing pack close on Southampton

By Stuart Jones

Southamptor the league leaders, visit Sund and on Wednessiay accompanie by the warning words of their aanager, Lawrie ucMenemy. "E title challenge tands or fall on how we do away from how?" he said over the weekend. It Saturday they stumbled at Notts County, although Keeg keeps walking confidently of to his best soalscoring se in. He has now collected 24. It equalised and ball cleared it is times off the ine.

Southampton can now hear their rivals dosing in. In Swansea City's ase it is a splash. They paddled heir way through the Vetch Fie fouddles to beat Stoke City th high Charles and Robbie James twice. In Manchester United case it is merely a rustle. Birth scored only their second goal in even games but it was worth the points at St Andrews. Andrews.

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Arsenal's ligress is even juicter. Keega i individual goals total is two ther than their collective recoil and they failed ince more to be a way through spainst the hally ineffective Manchester for John Bond, lity's manage has another problem apar from his son's position. His him injury prone triker, Franci limped off again and may be but for another week

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in Swansea's goal splash

former Liverpool player, Ipswich Town, unchanged for the fifth successive time, clambered back among the chating pack with a convincing victory over Everton. Wark, Brazil and Gares gave them the lift they needed.

on the way up. Unbeaten for 11 McMenemy games, they drew at Grimsby, unsuccessful in their last 16.

In spite of a refreshing four-day break in the Isle of Wight, Watford, s challenge lost momentum. So did that of Barnsley and Sheffield Wednesday, who have not won a second division match at home since November 28. Barnsley's manager, Norman Hunter, denied that he was considering a comeback. "It will require the gravest crisis, before I do that", he said. After five his team's title bid world stand games without a win, perhaps it or fall on their away performanctes arrived He might consider the action

of his former England colleague, Emlyn Hughes, Rotherham's mid-field player-manager. He led them to their ninth successive victory, a run that also equalled while warming up in the dressing

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Wolverhampton Wanderers and Middlesbrough, involved in a fixture worth size points, ended up with the worst possible outcome, a share of just two from the goalless draw. They now seem as certain to go down as Luton Town are to pass them

Worries for

Notts County 1 Southampton 1.

On the evidence put forward in the mud of Meadow Lane, the Southampton manager, Lawrie McMenemy, should prepare, himself for some worrying weeks ahead in his team's quest for their forst League championship. Before the match, Mr McMene-my went on record as saying that his team's title bid world stand Notts County is any guide, the first Division leaders could be hard pressed to remain at the

For Notts County gave Southampton a severe examination and should really have had more their advance to promotion last season when they went six matches without conceding a goal. Their victims were Oldham, who lost Clements before the start. He damaged a cartilage

County relied on the long ball tactics which Southampton's defence find so hard to cope with, and this enabled the home with, and this enabled the home side to come to terms with the heavy conditions far better than their visitors. The county midfield also kept up a continual service to the talented Chiedozie, on the right wing, and he gave Southampton left back Holmes a transid afternoon.

Katalinic in the 50th minute, which put County on level terms following Keegan's chip over the stranded Avramovic into the top of the net 12 minutes before half time. That moment of class apart, Southampton looked a long way from the team they unfailingly are on home territory and only a splendid save by Katalinic, which denied Hooks, and Ball's goal line clearances prevented the oldest club in the Football League scoring before the interval.

Mair's goal was no more than Mair's goal was no more than county deserved and they went on to harass Southampton at every turn as the conditions worsened under the heavy rain. Notis, Courty, R. Awanovic, T. Berjamin, R. O'Brien, M. Goodein, B. Kickine, P. Richards, J. Chiedezia, R. Hartsuk, J. McCulloch, P. Hocks, G. Meir, (Subt. T. Christie). Southempton: (Kasisinic, I. Golso, N. Hointes, G. Baker, C. Nicholt, M. Wadron, K. Keegan, M. Channon, D. Wallaca, D. Arustrong, A. Bell. (Suit: D. Puckett).

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stride on By Tom German

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The prospect of yet another Liverpool old boy taking a club with unfashionable antecedents up among the pedigrees in the first division should not be too lightly discounted. John Toshack did it with Swansea, and Rotherham United's romp up the second division has become as torrid afternoon devouring as ever was the long.

It was Chiedozie who provided the cross for Mair to head past Emlyn Hughes, in his heyday at

Anfield. Oldham were Rother ham's ninth consecutive victim Rotherham's pace and commit-ment in the mud were more than Oldham could match. Their surge oldnam could match. I neir surge up the table began, coincidentally or not, with the arrival of that bard tackling midfielder, Gow, from Manchester City. He was not noticeably dominant here but the side as a whole won the disputed balls in a ratio of archange three to one. an perhaps three to one, an important factor in the way the

important factor in the way the match developed.

So too, maybe was the change Oldham had to make in central defence 10 minutes before kick-off. Clements had done his limbering up and was simply getting up from the beuch when a persistent cartilage problem recurred; he was out of the match and McDonough had to drop back from midfield drop back from midfield There was much more purpose

There was much more purpose and direction to Rotherman's attacks. Seasman, in the side only because of the heavy conditions, might have scored in the first period on firmer ground. In the event, he struck twice in the second with splendid headers, first as Hughes chipped a free kick to him with measured accuracy, then as Towner made room on the right for a centre which reached Seasman with equal precision. Punctuating which reached speamen who
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Leitch has star billing in Forfar's late, late show

Forfar became the first club from the bottom division to reach the semi-finals for 27 years and they were indebted to Leitch, who marked his 22nd birthday with the winner, his first goal of the season. Their other goal came from the substitute, Hancock after McFarlane had opened the scoring for Queen's Park.

Forfar, whose average home gate barely tops 1,000, are now guaranteed a £5,000 payout just for reaching the simi-finals with another homus awaiting them in the form of semi-final gate receipts against either Rangers, St Mirren or Aberdeen.

goal. They came nearest to scoring in this misleading surge when Hunt, sliding in, could not quite connect with a Francis corner which skidded across the face of the goal.

Almost immediately Rigis replied in the most positive fashion. Brown, returned after injury, broke away to slide the The cup holders, Rangers, moved to within 90 minutes of a moved to within 90 minutes of a third successive Hampden appearance by heating Dundee 2—0 with goals by Johnstone and McAdam. However, their manager, John Greig, said: "We can do a lot better. If the players have ambitions of winning Cups they will have to raise their game."

Dundee United's midweek fashion. Brown, returned after injury, broke away to slide the ball to him, and the resulting shot was of such force that Blyth's dive was almost redundant. Regis has scored only once in the past six weeks while Brown has been out, mute testimony to the value of the ammunition Brown provides for Albion's newest international to fire.

Forfar Athletic, the rank outsiders from the second division, beat Queen's Park 2-1 to reach the last four of the Scottish Cup for the first time in their history. In keeping with the romance and uncertainty of the Cup they achieved their victory with a last minute goal — scored by a player celebrating his birthday.

Forfar became the first club exertions in the Uefa Cup opsilon on the Exertions in the Uefa Cup opsilon on the Exertions in the Uefa Cup to study the manute goal to the last four. Meanwhile, Aberdeen conceded the first goal to Kilmarnock their victory with a last minute goal — scored their victory with a last minute goal to Kilmarnock their semi-final place. Their Scottish cup the match was a player celebrating his birthday.

While Dundee lost to Rangers in the Cup, they were at least able to take consolation from defeats to their fellow relegation strugglers, Airdrie and Partick Thistie in the premier division. A penalty by Ritchie beat Airdrie while goals by Rae, and Paterson earned Hibernian a 2-1 away victory over Thistie.

Il Jock Stein's name has been hinked with New York Cosmos, who are seeking a new general manager after the World Cup. The wealthy American club are reported to be keen to employ the Scots' manager, who would be offered a massive salary to move abroad. move abroad.

The Scottish Football Association will decide today whether to seek alternative accommodation for their World Cup trip to Spain this summer. Prices have quadrupled over the last few weeks at the Parador Del Golf complex originally selected.

RESULTS AND TABLES

ALLIANCE PREMIER LEAGUE: Dartford

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Billencay 2, Wycombe Wanderers C; Croydon
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Lestherhead 2, Hendon 1; Staines 2, Hetchin
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2. Aveley C. Maldenheard Und O. Hertford 4; St. Albana 1, Hamppton 2; Walton and Heraham 1, Tilbury 2; Warn 1, Kingstonian 0; Wembley 1, Wickingham 2. Second division: Barton Rovers 1, Horsham C., Courintham C., Epring 2; Lastbourne Und O., Chesham 2, Finchley 1, Corintham Casuals 1; Hemel Hempstead 1, Sasakon Utd C. Leichworth O. Egham 1; Ramham O., Yring C. Southaff 2, Camberley O. Worthing 2, Windsor and Elon 1
RRSH LEAGUE: Bangor O. Portedown 1, Coleraine 1, Glantbora 2; Crusadera 2, Ballymena 1; Gierawon 2, Cistonvillo 2. Lindeld 5, Ards D.

HISH LEAGUE: Barrigor 0, Portedown 1.
Coleration 1, Giantotran 2; Crussaders 2,
Bailymense 1; Gisenavon 2, Cistonwike 2:
Lindeld 5, Ards 0,
NORTHERM LEAGUE: Billingham 1, Spennymorr 0, Consett 1, Ashington 1; Evenwood 1,
Durham 3; Tow Law 2, Shildon 2; West
Audstand 0, Willington 1; Bishop Audstand 0,
Whitling say 3, Hordon 3; Bishop Audstand 0,
South Barris 2; North Staelds 0, Ferryhill 0,
NORTHUMBERLAND SEMIOR CUP: Semi-final
round; Blytts 3, Percy Main 1.

Yesterday's results

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ALLIANCE PREMIER LEAGUE: Barnet O, Waymouth 3: Barrow 1, Boston Utd C; Graveson O, Telford Utd 2.
NORTHERN PREMIER LEAGUE: Gatesheed O,

TODAY'S FIXTURES

THIRD DIVISION

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ksop 0; King's Lynn, Mossley.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE: Midland divisio Benbury 0, Gloucester 4: Barry Wellingborough 3, Chelterham 3, Cambrid, Cdy 1; Cochy 1, Bedworth 1; Kidderminster Bridgend 0; Merthyr Tyda 3, Mitton Keynes Nurseaton 0, Bromsgrove 1, Redditch Minehad 0; Stouthridge 3, Bedford 1 Taumton 1, Alvechurch 3; Wilney Town : Enderby 4 Southern Dreisson Addiestone ar Weybridge 3, Centerbury 3; Andower 0, Pod 4, Ashthord 2, Thanet Utd 0; Chelmsterd 14, Estings 1, Dorchoster 2, Salesbury 1; Dow 1, Hounstow 2; Tombridge 4, Dunstable Waterfoorsite 2, Alesbury 1; Wealdstone 0 Gooport 1, Wedling Utd 2; Prefixestone 0

FOURTH DIVISION: Backpool 0, Aldershot 2; Boarnemouth 1, Pelestocrough 1, Crewe 0, Stockport 2; Harlengool 2, Sheffield Utd 3; Harelord 2, Scurthorpe 1; Mansheld 2, Davington 3; Port Vate 0, Bury 0; Transmere 1, Torquay 1, Wiggan Ah 2, Hull Call.

MOSTHERN PREMER LEAGUE: Bangor Chy 3. South Liverpool 1; Buston 5, Burton Abion 1; Lancaster 1, Granthem 2; Marme 2, Moscamba 0; Mossky 1, Getesheed 1; Southport 1, Gainsbrough 1, Tamborth 0, Goole C; Workington 1, Oswestry 1, Worksop 8 Kreen 1 2. Kings Lynn 1.

ARTULARD LEAGUE CUP: Second round:
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MIDLAND LEAGUE: APP-Frod 5. Bridlington
2. Ashby 1. Merborough 2. Long Eaton 3.

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RUGBY UNION Club matches: Ms
(Slamorgan Wanderers (7.0); N Glamorgan Wars Headingley (7.0).

RACING RESULTS

NEWBURY

1.30, 1, Kinge Perade (4-1); 2, Vel Climber (8-2); 3, The Thutcher (15-2). Voice of Progress (9-4 fav), 13 ran. 2 00, 1; Lucide (2-1); 1; Ivory Thrust (10-1); only two finished Acmine (13-8 fav). 8 Patrick Cook in the Cook in th

HEREFORD

1.15. 1, Bright Ossais (13-8 fav); 2, Cellic Hero (2-1); 3, Micheste (5-1). 17 ran. 1.45 1, Classified (7-4 fav); 2, Wesvers 1.com (7-1); 3, Ganese (50-1). 16 ran. 2.15 1, Sphreleg Saiset (13-8 fav); 2, Protessor Plum (9-2); 3, Je Colombo (3-1). 7 781. 2.45 1, Ottary News (3-1); 2, Good 2.45 1, Othery News (3-1): 2. Good Propect (8-1): 3, Rib Law (14-1). Solntuling Boy (9-4 faw). 11 ran. MR Pitol Officer. The Rector.

3.15. 1, Late Night Extra (12-1): 2, Artic Rescal (50-1): 3, Weich Display (8-1): 4, Lohn Asserican (12-1). My Boy Jack (4-6 tav). 18 ran.

3.45 1, Petito Mandy (7-4 tav): 2, Handy Mark (23-1): 3, Punder Belled (33-1): 15 ran. NR Old Bean.

4.15 7, Frozen Prince (8-2): 2, Kandacombe (8-1): 3, Misty Sky (9-1). San Bernson, (5-2 tax). 16 ran. NR Semey.

HAYDOCK PARK

MR Silver Buck. 2 15, 1, Azazm (14-1); 2, Ray Charles (11-1); 3, Great Light (25-1) Morice (15-8 tav). 11 ran. 2.45, 1, Hazeldeen (9-1); 2, Supreme Vista (15-2); 3, Tony (9-1) Home Ground (100-30 fav), 11 ran. NR Lucustate. 3.15, 1, Druncondra (7-1), 2, Royal Bowman (9-2), 3, Ridan Tower, (10-1), Burrough Hill Lad (11-10 fev.) 10 ran. NR Granue Exet

3.45, 1, Barrier Reel (B-1); 2, Capping (15-

MARKET RASEN

1.30, 1, Hardwick Sun (10-1); 2, Cape Farewell (14-1); 3, Snap Tin (7-1). Holways (11-8 lay), 17 run. 2.00, 1, Silver Buck (5-6 lay); 2, Moor Close (6-1); 3, Bargello's Lady (25-1), 9 ran. NR Direct line. Licon (8-1); 3, Bargello's Lady (25-1), 9 ran, NR Direct line, 230, 1, Regal Touch (11-2); 2, The Small Miracks (12-1); 3, The Chitoman (3-1 |s-4av), immoral (3-1 |s-4av), 3 ran, 2.00, 1, Hallo 1.euls (15-8 lav); 2, Scort (7-1); 3, GR O'Whiskey (9-4), 9 ran, NR Magin Tipp. Lettoch. 1, Brave Fellow (7-4 lav); 2, Paper 4,00 1, Brave Fellow (7-4 lav); 2, Paper Rich (11-2); 3, Box of Tricks (16-1), 16 ran, 6ff Flying Enterprise, Grangehili.

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By Michael Seely

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Josh Gifford was delighted, with the running of Aldaniti: "That should have put the horse right for Aintree." Ron Barry, who deputized for Bob Champion, said: "Aldaniti jumped magnificently. We came home mour own time when it was clear we could not win."

Although Morice fell at the last flight in the Victor Ludorum Hurdle, hi running paid a handsome tribute to Royal Vulcan, whom he beat at Kempton last week. After being squeezed out on the final bend, Morice was last of all jumping the first hurdle in the straight. And yet he was just about to And yet he was just about to jump upsides the eventual winner, Azam, when coming to grief. Azam is not entered in the

3.30 SPRING HURDLE (Handicap: £1,409: 21/m) (24)

was 55, nad sustained a fall on Bend A Knee, at the Bicester and Warden Hill point-to-point, near Banbury on Saturday. The whole racing world will monro the tragic death of Mr Thorne whose riding of Spartan Missile when second to Aldaniti in last year's Grand National was the highlight of a long and honourable career. of a long and honourable career in the saddle.

Thorne obituary, page 10

There will be an inspection at 3.30 today to assess prospects for racing at Warwick tomorrow.
 The course is waterlogged and racing is very unlikely.

STATE OF GOING (office) Windsor: heavy, Sedglield: good. Tomorrow Folkestone Hardles soft, chape good to soft. Warwick-heavy (inspection).



Waiting to pounce: David Goulding and Azaam (left) take the lathurdle chind Great Light

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	627	00	CELTIC BEAUTY (D Cowland) D Elsworth 4-10-7 J Davies 7
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Moonshine. 5.15 Sir Marcus.

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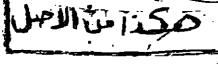
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agents Richard Ellis in their report on the Belgian property marker. Despite all the tough economic actions taken by the new coalition Government, formed towards the end of last year, the agents believe the time is right for investors to make a careful re-appraisal of Brussels. Even so the Ellis report dvises some caution.

There is the same amount of available accommodation, although there has been a build up of modern office space in the Chausse de la Hulpe. The new rent law introduced:

last December restricts rent increases during 1982 to 6 per cent of the rent level established at the end of last year. Any leases expiring in the current year may be extended by the

tenant if they so wish.
But against this the new
Government aims to stimulate
development and construction development and construction through a number of measures. VAT payments on certain types of buildings between March and December this year will be reduced from 17 per cent to 6 per cent, and the surtax on capital gains arising from the sale of undeveloped sites will be abolished.

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Development activity in Belgium continues to be subdued. The agents say that some. developments have been inspired by owner-occupiers prepared to pay more for accommo-dation which is likely to fulfill their requirements in the fu-

Within the Brussels area some office schemes have been undertaken by institutions where a tenant has already been signed up and where development yields will probably be more attractive than those available on existing let buildings.

But Ellis point out that most investment acquisitions have been confined to Brussels. Prime let offices are producing net yields of between 6 and 6½ per cent and as much as 10 per cent for fully occupied indus-

nand in Brussels continues mainly to be centred on the

Quartier Leopold where most tenants are looking for buildings up to 1,000 sq metres (about 10,700 sq ft). Overall demand for commercial space in and around the capital totals. 250,000 sq metres.

Last year some 145,060 sq metres of office accommodation was either let or sold in the Brussels area, a fall of about 20 per cent over 1981. In Answerp

the figure fell by 45 per cent to 25,000 sq metres.

Currently there are about 340,000 sq metres of office space on the market within the Brussels area which means the present overhang is in the region of 100,000 sq metres. There are buildings either under construction, or about to be developed, covering 100,000 sq metres. sq metres.

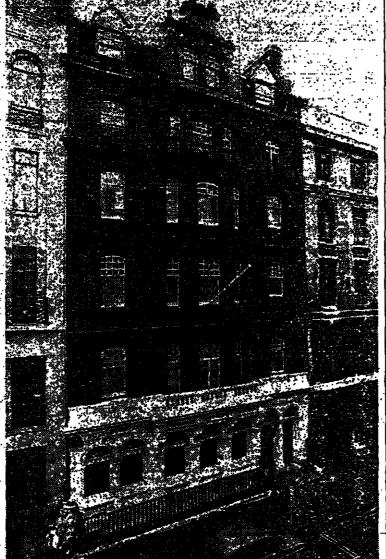
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The recession has done little to dampen the enthusiasm for the City of London. Although agents report a softening of demand in marginal or periph-eral areas, rents in the prime banking and insurance locations continue to rise. Prime buildings within the

Square Mile are presently commanding rents of about £27 a sq ft, but agents are beginning to note a willingness on the part of tenants to pay even more. It is firmly believed that some deals are in the process of being concluded about the £30 a sq ft

mark, although these have yet to become public knowledge. Richard Ellis are particularly enthusiastic about the future performance of the City and are standing by their forecast, made last year, that rents will rise to £45 a sq ft in 1985. Partner Clive Arding reckons that £30 a so ft Arding reckons that £30 a sq ft could well become the norm if not by the end of this year then early in 1983. Once the barrier has been broken it will be an easy stage to £35 a.sq ft and well on the way to the Ellis forecast, he saw

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s.40 Open University: Bath: 18th Century; 7.05

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Noon with Richard Whitmore and Moira Stuart; 12.57 Regional news (London and SE only: Financial report and news headlines with subtitles) 1.00 Pebble Mill at One. Frank Delaney discusses Edna O'Brien's new book of short stories. Returning, with the authoress herself. Also included is Sara Percival who explains what it is the to design clothes for the stars; 1.45 Camberwick Green (r); 2.01 For Schools. Colleges: Words and Pictures; 2.18 Made in Barbados; 2.40 Science: Fertilisation; 3.00 Della-Smith's Cookery Course. Cheese; 3.25 Closedown; 3.53 Regional news (not London).

3.55 Play School: For the under lives (shown

4.20 Cartoon: Pixie and Dixie in Puppet Pals (r).

4.25 Jackanory. Ann Morrish reads part one of

5.40 News with Richard Baker; 6.00 South East at Six; 6.25 Nationwide.

starring Peler Davison.
7.20 Brett Maverick. The amiable card sharp is

Minister. Michael Cockerell investigates the

news machine of Number Ten. For the first

the mysterious workings of the Lobby system of journalism, which provides almos all the political news to the media.

time on television the programme reveals

the intended victim of a con man.

8.10 Panorama. Sources close to the Prime

9.25 Love Story: Alexa. Part two. Alexa has

9.50 Police: A Death in Custody. A drunk is

10.40 Film 82. Miles Kington reviews the

Golden Pond and the Aus

Max II starring Mel Gibson.

11.10 Pete Savers Entertains. He sings about

11.35 Speak for Yourself. Coping with incivility.

rushed to the assistance of her depressed friend, Christine, and volunteers to look

after her children while the friend takes a break in London. Before Christine leaves

for the wicked city something happens

between Paul, her husband, and Alexa.

Katherine Hepburn/Henry Fonda film On

Villains — their wine and women — with his guest Frank Hield.

found unconscious in his cell and dies later

4.40 Cartoon: Scooby and Scrappy Doo.

5.55 Doctor Who. Part one of Earthshock

earlier on BBC2).

5.05 Blue Peter.

5.35 Ivor the Engine (r).

The Multiplying Glass.

5.00 John Craven's Newsround.

9.00 News with John Humphrys.

in hospital.

11.33 News headlines.

12.00 Weather.

6.40 Open University: M101/3 Trigonometric Formulas 7.05 Home Sweet Dome 7.30 Computing at Akal bury's 7.55 Closedown 10.35 Speak for Yourself. Coping with rudeness from fellow citizens 11.00 Play School. For the under fives presented by Carol Leader and lain Lauchlan. The story is the Mud Puddle 11.25 Play It Sefel Accident prevention tips for children (r) 11.35 Write Away. A guide to everyday writing presented by Bary Took (r) 11.50 Closedown 2.00 Long Short and Tell Stories. The world of children's books for adults (r) 2.25 Maths Help (r) 2.40 Other People's Lives. The ritual of circumcision on

Chole Island 3.05 The Computer

3.45 Film: Dance, Girt, Dance*

(1940) starring Maureen O'Hara and Lucille Ball: The

story of two dancers — one dedicated the other flippant

who fall for the same man.

headmaster wants to change some traditions (r).

5.10 Welcome Mr Lucas. A new

5.40 Laurel and Hardy in Night

6.00 Maggie. Adventures of a Scots

6.25 Mr Smith's Favourite Garden.

7.00 Riverside. News, views, ideas

and music for young adults.

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other entertainment from the vivacious lady and her guests.

The four funny people with their anarchic interpretations of

effect imprisonment has on the

rambling mansion with nothing but her memories. But suddenly

she complains to the vicar that young people from the

authorities' have moved in.

11.35 Tele-Montage. A French-speaking television network's

the week's news. Not for the

8.15 Marti Caine. More songs and

9.00 Not the Nine O'Clock News.

9.25 Horizon: The Victims. The

10.20 West Country Tales: Miss

10.50 Newsnight.

Constantine. The elderly

spinster lives alone in a

Owis' (1930).

A Rock Garden.

7.35 Cartoon: Little Goldfish.

7.45 Imagined Worlds. Recent

6.55 News with subtitles.

teenager.

Programme. The role of the microprocessor 3.30 Closedown.

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9.30 For Schools: An award-winning film about Shire Horses; 9.47 Musical and visual rhythms; 10.04 A policewoman's lot; 10.21 How the media portrays Britain's black population; 10:48 Filight—for the hearing impaired; 11.05 Practical science and the second of the secon for the young; 11.22 The Ffestiniog railway and slate mining in Wales; 11.39 The problems facing a one-parent family; 12.00 Cockleshell Bay. Adventures with the Cockle twins for the very young (r); 12.10 Rainbow. Learning with puppels; 12.30 That's the Way. The running of the National Health Service; 1.00 News from Carol Barnes; 1.20 Thames news; 1.30 About Britain. Johnny Morris travels the Severn from Ashleworth to the Sharpness Canal; 2.00 Money-go-Round. What's the value in an orthopaedic bad?; what are the best sunbeds and what precautions should be en for those wanting a winter tart; and are all lood mixers value for money? These are the items examined this afternoon; 2.30 Film: In the Dog House* (1962) starring Leslie Phillips and James

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Booth. Comedy about a vet and his crooked

4.15 Cartoon: Dr Snuggles (r). 4.20 Graham's Ark. Graham Thornton with advice for pet owners. 4.45 Murphy's Mob. Series about the fortunes of Dunmore United F.C.

5.15 Mr and Mrs. Quiz game between three married couples. 5.45 News. 6,00 Thames news. 6.25 Help! Viv Taylor Gee with news of the British Kidney Patient Association. Plus an interview with Michael Bewick, head of the kidney transplant department of Guy's 6.35 Crossroads. Barbara and Carole are

interrogated by a boy in blue. 7.00 Nature Watch. Do humans have a natural sense of direction? 7.30 Coronation Street. Fred Gee has a nasty

8.00 Dead Ernest, Comedy series set in celestial surrounds. 8.30 World in Action: The Worried Men. Four Tory MPs voice their fears about the Budget.

9.00 Hill Street Blues. A drama series laced with

a lot of humour about the Hill Street Police or precinct. This week Police captain Furillo is summoned to testify before a grand jury investigating police corruption while his colleague Renko causes chaos with his erratic driving. 10.00 News.

10.30 Film: The Oscar (1966) starring Stephen Boyd, Elke Sommer and Eleanor Parker. Boyd plays Frankie Fane an amoral actor who would stop at nothing to win an Oscar. The evening arrives when the awards are made and he is confident of success but a skeleton from his past emerges in the shapely form of stripper Laurel Scott. Among those with cameo roles are five actors who have actually won Oscars — Broderick Crawford, Ed Begley, Walter Brennan, Ernest Borgnine and James Dunn. programme about children with | 12.40 Close with actress Ann Todd talking about



Kirsty Miller as Maggie (BBC 2 6.00 pm)

 Seven men with the common experience of captivity re-live their ordeal in Horizon's THE VICTIMS (BBC 2 9.25 pm). Each had their own methods of keeping their sanity and alive General Jack Flynn was a prisoner for over five years in the "Hanoi Hilton"; Sir Geoffrey Jackson an unwilling gues of the Tupamaros for 244 days; three others survived the horrors of concentration camps; Ger Vaders just escaped death in a hijacked Dutch commuter train: and admaster Eef Van den Vlied was held hostage along with four of his staff and 105 pupils by Moluccan rebels near Groningen. Horizon investigates the effect enforced captivity has on people loop after the event. With narrowing caps of concentration camps and the other cidents the programme illustrates the horrors undergone and talks to experts who help victims overcome

the depression that inevitably comes

● POLICE (BBC 1 9.50 pm) continues its absorbing series with look at a death in custody.

Mercifully, we are not witness to the discovery of the unfortunate occupant of, it had to be, cell 13. A 26-year-old bachelor, he had been arrested just before 11 pm the previous evening on a drunk and disorderly charge. At 1.25 am at the Royal Bucks Hospital he was pronounced dead. Later that day his relatives are contacted and the statements of the officers on duty at the time to make sure they tally. Meanwhile the Home Office pathologist carries out a post

mortem -- a gruesome task which, fortunately, we don't see but the cameraman could not have been so lucky. Absorbing, but with no suspicious circumstances it lacks the tension of some of the previous

O The new Story Time serial THE CANON IN RESIDENCE (Radio 4 4.45 pm) is one of several novels written by the late Canon Victor Whitchurch. The story, in ten parts, concerns the adventures of a country vicar, John Smith: His hobby of Ecclesiastical History takes him to Switzerland where he wearing of a priest's collar creates a 'them and us' friction between the he swaps clothes with the Rev. Smith who finds to his horror that with a penchant for robbing banks.

10.00 The World Tonight: News.
10.30 Science Now.
11.00 A Book at Beddime: 'A Confederacy of Dunces' by John Kennedy Toole (11).
11.15 The Financial World Tonight.
11.30 Today in Parliament.
12.00 News: Weather Report: Fore-

7.00 Today's News.
7.30 News Headlines.
7.45 Thought for the Day.
8.35 The Week on 4. 8.43 Glyn Worsnip delves into the BBC Sound Archives. 9.00 News. 9.05 Start The Week with Richard Baker.† 5.50-5.55 PM (continued). 11.00 Study on 4: Broadside On (5). 11.30-12.10am Open

Baker,†
10.00 News.
10.02 Money Box.
10.30 Daily Service.
10.45 Morning Story: When The Waters Came by Rosemund Lehmann.
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6.00 News Briefing. 6.10 Farming Week. 6.30 Today, including. 6.45 Prayer for the Day. 7.00 Today's News

and David Wood. 1.00 The World at One: News. 50 The Archers.

1.40 The Archers.
2.00 News.
2.02 Woman's Hour.
3.00 News; Travel.
3.02 Afternoon Theatre Sarah and Annie — 1910' by Sandra Freeman.†
4.35 Scene from a bridge. The view from Tower Bridge.
4.45 Story Time: The Canon in Residence by Victor L. Winitschurch (in 10 parts) (1).
5.00 PM: News Magazine.
5.55 Weather: Programme News.
6.00 The Six O'Clock News, including Financial Report.
6.30 Just a Minute: A panel game.†
7.00 News.

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7.05 The Archers.
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7.20 Start the week with Richard Baker.†
8.00 The Monday Ptay: 'And The Nightingale Sang . . . by C. P. Taylor.†
9.30 Kalekinszope. 9.30 Kaleidoscope.

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Sheriff is kidnepped by teenage
delinquents but leads them into a
police trap, and a forest fire. 5.15
Radio. 5.30-5.45 Coast to Coast. 6.00
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Farm. 10.30 Full Lite: Rumer Godden.

11.00 Film: Murder in a One Act Play.
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As Thames except: 1.20pm-1.30 News. 2.30-4.15 Film: Ring of Fire (Andrew L. Stone, David Janssen).

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cast. 12.15 Shipping Forecast: Inshore Waters Forecast. VHF only — 6.25em-6.30 Weather Forecast, 10.00 For Schools, 1.55 Programme News, 2.00-3.00 For Schools.

Radio 3

6.55 Weather.
7.00 News.
7.05 Morning Concert. Johann Pezel, Vanhal, Bach Iranscr. Busoni, Delius; records.† 8usoni, Delius, recorda., 8.00 News. 8.05 Morning Concert (continued) Dvorack, Debussy, Rossini orch Respighi; records.† orch, Respigni; records.†

9.00 News.
9.05 This Week's Composer. Shostakovich; records.†

10.00 Music for Organ. Recital at St. George's Church. Stockport. John Stanley, Liszt, Avenir de Monfred. Deodat de Severec.†

8rahms. String Quartet recital.†

11.10 Marin Marais. Chamber music recital.†
11.35 BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra. Concert: Mozart, Rainler, Holst, Beethoven.† 1.00 News. 1.05 BBC Lunchtime Concert, Plano

Trio recital, direct from St.
John's, Smith Square, London:
Haydn, Ravel.†
2.00 Matinee Musicale. Concert:
Mendelssohn, Grieg, Richard
Rodney Behnett, Verdi, Svend-

3.00 New Records, Haydn, J. C. Bach, Mozart (mono), Schu-berl, Schumenn (mono), Stra-

4.55 News.
5.00 Mainly for Pleasure.†
5.30 Die Meistersinger von Nurnberg. Opera in three acts by Wagner, direct from the Royal Wagner, direct from the Royal
Opera Housa, Covent Garden
(sung in German) Act 1.†
6.55 The Poetry of John Donne.

Readings.
7.25 Die Meistersinger von Numberg (s) Act 2.†
8.30 Carl Andre. The American artist in conversation with Edward Lucie-Smith. 9.05 Die Meistersinger von Nur-nberg (s) Act 3.† 11.00 News.

VHF only — Open University: 5.55-6.35em and 11.20pm-12.40em 5.55em Policy and Action 6,15 The Sociology of Religion (6,35-6,55 Music Intertude) 11,20pm Handling Primary Sources, 11,40 Why Design a Dome? 12,00 Bias and Judgement 12,20-12,40am

Psychosexual Identity (2).

Radio 2 5.00 Ray Moore.† 7.30 Terry Wogan.† 10.00 Jimmy Young.† 12.00 Gloria Humeford Including 1.45 Sports Desk.† 2.00 Ed Stewart.including

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2.00-5.00 You And The Night And The Music with Richard Clegg.†

Radio 1

5.00 As Radio 2. 7.00 Steve Wright. 5.00 As Radio 2. 7.00 Steve Wright.
9.00 Simon Bates. 11.30 Dave Lee
Travis including 12.30 pm Newsbeat.
2.00 Paul Burnet. 5.00 Andy Peebles
including 5.00-5.30 The Record Race.
5.30 Newsbeat. 7.00 Stayin' Alive with
Andy Peebles. 8.00 David Jensen.
10.00 John Peel.† 12.00 Close.
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YORKSHIRE Six, 12.00 News and weather, ENGLAND 6.00pm-6.25 Regional news magazines, 12.05am close. As Thames except: 1.20 pm-1.30 News. 2.30-4.15 Film: "Sandwich Man" (Michael Bentine) Comedy about London "sandwich-man" who rather tancles pigeons . . 6.00 Calendar, 6.30-7.00 It's a Vet's Life. 9.00-10-00

CHANNEL Quincy. 10.30 With a Little Help. 11.00 Rugby League. 11.45 Superstar Profile: Burt Reynolds. 12.15 am As Themes except: 12.30pm-1.00 Election '82: Guernsey Election for Election '82: Guernsey Election for Deputies. 1.20-1.30 News. 2.30-4.15 Film: Nothing but the Best (Alan Bates). Social-climbing clerk chases the best things in life. 5.15-5.45 Ensmerdale Farm. 6.00 Charmel Report. 6.30-7.00 Two of Us. 10.28 News. 10.35 Ladies Man. 11.05 Golfing Grents: Gene Sarazen. 11.30 Tenspeed & Brown-Shoe. 12.25am closedown. **ULSTER**

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Columbus (Fredric March, Florence Eldridge). Lavish 1949 production of the explorer's story. 5.15-5.45 University Challenge. 5.00 About Anglia, 6.30-7.00 Movie Memories Angias, 8:307-7.00 Movie memories.
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Palace presents: Jack Jones with Vikki
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Profile; Margot Kidder. 12.30 am Chap
Next Door. CENTRAL

As Thames except: 1.20 pm-1.30 News, 2.00 Film: High Treason* (Liam Redmond). Saboteurs are routed by the London police, 3.45-4.15 Money-Go-Round, 6,00-7,00 News, 10,30 Parents and Teenagers. 11.00 News 11.05 Left, Right and Centre. 11.45 Parls By Night, 12,15 am So Different, 12,30 Closedown.

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As Thames except: 1.20 pm-1.30 News, 2.30-4.15 Film: Nothing But The Rest (Alan Bates). Social-climbing clerk chases the best things in life. 5.15-5.45 Emmerdale Farm. 6.00 Today South West. 6.30-7.00 Two Of Us. 10.35 Ladies' Man. 11.05 Gotfing Greals: Gene Sarazen, 11,30 Tenspeed and Brown Shoe, 12,25 am Postscript, 12,31 Closedown.

SCOTTISH As Thames except: 1.20 pm-1.30 News, 2.00 Film: Francis Gary Powers. Dramatisation of the events Diamagastron of the events surrounding the shooting down of an American spy plane over Russia. 3.45-4.15 Money-Go-Round. 5.15-5.45 Emmerdale Farm. 6.00 Scotland

Today, 6.40-7.00 Crimedesk, 10.30 Space to Breathe, 11.30 Monte Carlo Show: Nana Mouskourri, 12.25 am Late Call, 12.30 Closedown. GRANADA

As Thames except: 1.20 pm-1.30 Granada Reports. 2.30-4.15 Film: Guns of Darkness (David Niven). After a revolution a pacifist planter attempts to help the wounded ex-president to Private Benjamin. 6.30-7.00 Granad Reports. 9.00-10.00 Quincy. 10.30 Danger UXB. 11.30 Rugby League. 12.15 am Odd Couple. 12.45

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As Thames except: Starts 9.25 am-As Thames except: Starts 9.23 am-9.30 First Thing, 1.20-1.30 News. 2.30-4.15 Film: In The Doghouse (Lesie Philips, Peggy Cummins) — Comedy about two young vets who set up practice in London. 6.00 North Toright, 6.30-7.00 Cause for concern Tonight, 6.307 AD Cause for correson. 10.30 Film: First Nine Months are the Hardest (Susan Sullivan, Beverly Todd). Medical drama about three families facing crises. 12.15 am News.

HTV WEST

As Thames except: 1.20 pm-1.30 As Thames except: 1.20 pm-1.30 News. 2.30-4.15 Film: Master of Salisnirae (Errol Flyrin). Toss of a coin decides who shall join the Scottish rebellion to put Bonnie Prince Charlie on the throne. 5.15 pm-5.45 Ditf rent Strokes. 6.00-7.00 News. 10.30 Scop. 11.00 Parents and leenagers. 11.30 Living legends of Jazz and blues, 12.00 Closedown.

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Bar on militants urged after bloodshed speech

By Julian Haviland, Political Editor

mittee, shocked by a speech in mittee, shocked by a speech in which a prospective parliamentary candidate forecast bloodshed unless society was speedily transformed in a socialist direction, will today try to prevent the endorsement as candidates of any more Military Transformer until

as candidates of any more Militant Tendency members until after an inquiry into their influence in the party.

The speech by Mr Pat Wall, a prominent member of Militant whose selection in place of Mr Ben Ford the Bradford North MP, has been challenged on procedural grounds, was condemned by senior figures on the right of the Labour Party.

Mr Roy Hattersley, speaking

Mr Roy Hattersley, speaking on independent television, said Mr Wall was "not a legitimate candidate for the Labour Party to endorse

Mr Peter Shore, said on BBC radio Labour should make it absolutely clear that Mr Wall did not speak for the party and was not going to do so. It was perfectly reasonable for some-one to hold and express Mr Wall's views, but it had nothing whatever to do with the democratic socialism which was fundamental to the Labour

Mr Wall speaking in Bradford last Thursday at a meeting with members of the Socialist Workers Party, said a Marxist Labour Government would have to deal with the capitalist state machine immediately.

It would mean the abolition

of the monarchy, the House of Lords, the sacking of the generals, the admirals, the air marshals, the senior civil ser-vants, the police chiefs and in particular the judges, and people of that character."

He is reported in The Sun-day Times to have added: "We will face bloodshed in Britain. We will face the possibility in Britain of a civil war, and the terrible death and destruction and bloodshed that would

Yesterday Mr Wall did not deny that he had used those words, but said the report had taken them out of context. He wanted drastic change in British society but he wanted to bring it about by peaceful means, through Parliament.

The organization committee of Labour's NEC is expected to rule today that the selection process in Bradford North should be repeated because of procedural irregularities when Mr Ford was ousted. In theory that will give Mr Ford a chance of reinstatement, but

Members of the Labour that he would be selected by Party's national executive com-

before. Mr John Golding will to-morrow propose that the NEC should defer endorsement of any candidate belonging to the Militant Tendency until the special inquiry has reported, probably in June.

it was clearly folly for the NEC to endorse new candidates from the Militant Tendency, which was itself under inquiry. Some NEC members how some NEC members however, prefer not to act against
individual Militant parliamentary candidates. They are content to await the inquiry
report, believing that Militant
members will thereafter be required to choose between the
Tendency and the party.

Medorate trada union lead-

Moderate trade union leaders, appailed at the latest dis-closures of Militant Tendency activities, see a new oppor-tunity to reverse the recent advances of the left in the Labour Party (Paul Routledge

writes). Mr. Terry Duffy, president of the Amalgamated Union of Engineering Workers, vowed yesterday: "I would personally back any move to restore the status quo as far as election and reselection of MPs is concerned. It has been the most divisive measure introduced in the Labour Party. Far from bringing peace, it has brought war to many local parties."

Mr Wall and other Militant candidates were "masquerad-ing as friends to gain entry". the engineers' president added.
"These people are our deadly enemies and they must be stopped.

Mr Sidney Weighell, genera secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen, who has fought against Militant in his own union, said: "These sort of people should be kicked out of the party. They want to destroy the party."

The vehemence of the trade union moderates' condemnation suggests that the "outbreak of in the party two months ago was premature. Mr Wall's son was the vic-tim of a gang fight in Bradford, West Yorkshire, on Saturday night (Our Bradford Correspondent writes).

Mr David Wall, a print worker, aged 18, was taken to hospital with a suspected broken nose after being attacked by the gang as he left

His mother, Mrs Pauline Wall, said: "David did nothing chance of reinstatement, but to provoke the attack. We are Mr Wall forecast yesterday a peace-loving family."



Family portrait the Russians haven't seen

The friendship between President Brezhnev's 53-year-old daughter Galina and a man known as Boris the Gypsy, who was recently arrested for corruption has put the spotlight on a family that is normally kept firmly in the political background in the Soviet Union (Michael Binyon writes

from Moscow). The wives and children of Politburo members play no public role in the Soviet Union, are not photographed with their busbands and do not appear at public engagements as they do in the West: Indeed, t is often not known whether Polithuro members are married or, widowers, how many children they have, and what they

The Russiaus are sensitive to intrusion into the private lives of their leaders, virtually a taboo subject in the Soviet Union. Strict measures are taken to see that the activities of family members are not used to reflect on their parents' political standing.

allowed into the Brezhnevs' summer residence near Yalta, nor to his country Dacha, near Moscow. It is not even known: Ilych Brezhnev. exactly whether the Soviet leader has two children, as

officials acknowledge, or three.
Ordinary Russians have
never seen the President's grandchildren and the Soviet press has never portrayed the Brezhnev family as they are seen above. Standing in the back row (left

to_right) are: Yuri Brezhoev, (son of Leonid); a woman be-lieved to be Viktoria (daughter of Galina by her first mar-riage and Leonid's only grand-daughter) and her husband; Galina (daughter of Leonid) and her husband Yuri Churbanov; an unidentified woman thrught to be the wife of one of Leonid's two grandsons; Ludmilla twife of Yuri Brezh ney and daughter-in-law of

Photographers have not been Galya, aged 8, Leonid's only great granddaughter, whose Mother is Viktoria, the only granddaughter); and Leonid

Not shown are President Brezhnev's second grandson, Leonid, aged 25 (son of Yuri); and Mikhail, said to be an adopted son whose existence is not acknowledged by Soviet authorities.

President Brezhnev's eldest son Yuri, in his late forties, followed his father into political life and is now the First Deputy Minister of Foreign Trade. His daughter Galina, aged-53, is married to the deputy head of the Ministry of Internal Affairs. And his youngest son Mikhail, about whom very little is known, is at Moscow University, believed to be studying journalism.

The political rise of Yuri Brezhnev has been meteoric. He began his career in 1960, Leonid); and Andrei aged 20,
Yuri Brezhnev's son.

Seated in the front row are Viktoria (Leonid's wife);

He began his career in 1960, occasionally in public. She is graduating from the Academy of Foreign Trade, and then spent several years working in family background.

the organization responsible for importing equipment for light industry.

In 1965 he was appointed a

department head of the Soviet Trade Mission in Sweden, and was later promoted to deputy head then head of the mission. In 1970 he was made chair-man of an export-import agency dealing with industrial raw materials, and in this capa-city was elected a delegate to the 25th Party Congress from the Dnepropetrovsk party tne Dnepropetrovsk party organization an unusual hon-our for one in his position.

Galina Brezhnev has been married twice. The first marriage to a man younger than herself was dissolved within a year, and the second was to Yuri Churbanov who in 1980 became Deputy Minister of the Interior at the age of 44.
President Brezhnev's wife

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Why FDR kept quiet

Letter from New York

and did nothing to stop it.

The arguments are set out in Infamy: Pearl Harbour and its

Toland believes that there

underestimating the strength of the Japanese naval force,

misled on this point by General Marshall, who had

written a report for the President only a few mooths earlier, saying that the Japanese would be no match for

Toland also attributes President Roosevelt's inacti-

detective work were provided by Captain Johann Ranneft, who was the Dutch Naval Attaché in Washington dur-ing the war. It took Toland

a year to track down the Dutchman.

According to the author,

Captain Ranneft was owed a favour by the Americans in 1941, because he had leaked to them the secret of the Bofors gun, by way of a friend in Java.

Captain Ranneft was called to the Office of Naval Intelli-

gence on December 2, five

days before the attack, and rold by Admiral Wilkinson,

head of the Office, that two Ispanese aircraft-carriers had

left Japan, heading east. They could have been going

almost anywhere at that

point, and he was ostensibly

might constitute a threat to

Nevertheless, an attack on

American bases was already a possibility, and Captain Ranneft was anxious enough

to wire the information immediately to his Govern-

ment then in exile.
Four days later, Captain
Ranneft returned to the ONI

the Dutch East Indies.

told on the grounds that they

the Americans.

about Pearl Harbour New evidence has emerged and asked Admiral Wilkin-that President Franklin D. son where the two carriers Roosevelt knew in advance were According to Capriers that the Japanese were planning to attack Pearl Harbour, they were 300-400 miles were

they were 300-400 miles west of Honolulu, The Dutchman immediately wired his Government again, Aftermath, by John Toland, a historian and Pulitzer prizewinner, which is to be published in America next month. adding, ironically as it turned out: "If they know here in Washington, you can be 100 per cent sure they know in Honolulu".

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was a cover-up for many years, but that it is now over. Mr Ranneft, who died only a month ago, was repriman-ded by his Government after the war for leaking secrets, but was later commended. Other evidence in the book Years, but that it is now over. He even suspects that some of the missing pieces of evidence may have been deliberately made available to him. concerns a "Seaman Z", who in 1941 was attached to the 12th Naval District, and was His final judgment of President Roosevelr's conduct is critical, but not damning. He believes that the President made the mistake of given an assignment to track the "missing" Japanese fleet ("missing" because it had maintained radio silence and the excellence of its equipment. But he had been since about the third Thurs-day in November). Using intelligence from six

wire services and from ships at sea, Seaman Z and a col-league became convinced that they had located the fleet, and that it was heading for Pearl Harbour

Evidence of the subsequent Evidence of the sucsequent cover-up was provided by the case of a ship of the Matson Line, which sails between San Francisco and Honolulu. President Roosevet's machivity to his desire to conceal that the Americans had cracked the Purple Code, which Tokyo used to talk with its Ambassador in Washington.

The most important leads in Toland's patient piece of description work warn provided. The radio operator of one of these ships believed that he had located the Japanese fleet before December 7 and while still at sea, alerted the United States Navv. Yet when the ship-returned to San Fransisco on December 10, the ship was met, and its log and other locuments confiscated by the

Navy.
Toland later came across a Toland later came across a tape made by Mrs Frances Perkins, the Secretary of Labour in President Rossevelt's cabiner, in which she described the President's strange reaction" to the news of Pearl Harborn, "Rather sugaky-looking", she said "Ha Looke companies." said. "He knows something

we don't know."

This tape bad supposedly been in the Columbia University Library of Oral History since 1932 but no body had found it before Toland.

One man who will not be pleased by Toland's revela-tions is Gordon Prange. author of a book called At Dawn We Slept. It is also about Fearl Harbour, took 37 years to research, and is a great success. It concludes that the President probably did not know about the Japanese attack in revance.

Peter Watson

THE TIMES INFORMATION SERVICE

Today's Events

ACROSS

1 Horse has elephant's

5 Part of Greater London

9 Showing signs of age as coat might be (5).

10 It reduces production of seeds at Wimbledon (4-5).

14 All the composer required (5). 15 Doctor carries animal to land,

18 Age Maud had not reached

22 Moss can't edit the paper (8).

24 Noted opening of sonnet? (6).

27 A title wrongly given (5). 28 Retired sailor has wrinkle with a bit of rigging (7).

26 Theatre work on senseless subject, perhaps (9).

29 Lay claim to quiet rented building (7).

I Eskimo dogs (only the bitches giving tongue?) (9). 2 Garment for one sort of

3 Court case about theologian, one with a drug problem (9).

4 Swallow tobacco on rising (4). 5 Death of an Admiral-a novel

order, poor mag (7).

Transport? (7).

woman (6). 12 Job's for horses (8).

20 Fight waste? (5).

Royal engagements The Queen attends the Commonwealth Day Observance Service at Westminster. Abbey, 3; and later attends a Commonwealth Day reception at Marlborough House, 6.30.

Princess Anne attends the 400th anniversary celebrations of the granting of a royal charter to Maidenhead, Berkshire 4.30.

The Princess of Wales attends a première of The Little Foxes, in aid of the Army Besevolent Fund and the Metropolitan Police | God's New Society — Top Combined Benevolent Fund at Priority, by Canon David Watson,

the Victoria Palace Theatre, London, SW1, 7.15.

Princess Alice, Duchess of Gloucester visits the Daily Mail Ideal Home Exhibition, Earls Court, London, 3.

Talks, lectures

A new acquisition (1): Lee

Krassar's "Cothic Landscape"

A new acquisition (1): Lee Krasner's "Gothic Landscape", by Richard Francis, Tate Gallery, World English-or, whose lansor Peter Strevens, Royal Society

of Arts, 8 John Adam Street, WC2, 6. God's New Society

6 Some give welcome to a space

7 A time for resolution,

without honour (3,-4).

Bowls for the county (5).

Mood of the commander (10). 16 Companion is at sea, possibly, holding up business (9).

17 Urge to go into action, though

19 Not evil but wild and fierce

Get money from one in resal

Start of sprint on inferior track (5).

25 Cut footnote about batting —upsetting (4).

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will appear

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The Times Crossword Puzzle No 15,774

Organ recital, Jonathan Ren-nert, St Michael's Cornbill, 1. Recital by Stuttgart Piano Trio, St john's, Smith Square, St John's, Smith Square, West-minster, I.
Francis Christou (clarinet) and Mary Harrison (piano) recital, St Lawrence Jewry, next Guildhall, Gresham Street, 1.
Concert by LSO (Claudio Abbado) with Vladimir Ashkenary

Music

on the piano, Barbican Centre, Barbican, 6.30. New exhibitions Australian Art of the Westerd Desert, work of tribal Aboriginals in Central Australia, Museum of 'Mankind, Burlington Gardens, VI (Mon to Sat 10 to 5) (from today

until May 3).
Paintings of John Quinton
Pringle, including oils, watercolours and miniatures. Fine Art
Society. 148 New Bond Street.
W1; Mon to Fri 9.30 to 5.30, Sat
10 to 1 (until March 26).

Jack the Ripper murders, 1888, meet Aldgate East Underground (Art Gallery exit), 7.30.

The National Gallery has just instituted a recorded information service. The public can now hear opening times, details of exhibitions and information on educational events, such as lectures, and guided tours by ringing the Gallery on 01-539 3525.

Sporting fixtures

Football: Third division: Southend v Brentford; Fourth division: Mansfield v Sheffield United, both 7.30.

Racing: Meetings at Windsor (1.30) and Sedgeffeld (1.45). Rackets: Oxford University v Cambridge University, at Queen's Club, Kensington (2.30).

Squash rackets: ISPA championships, at Abbeydale, Sheffield (5.30 and 8.30).

Bond winners

Winning numbers in the weekly draw for £100,000, £50,000 and £25,000 Premium Bond prizes, announced on Saturday are: £100,000: No 182Z 512661 (the winner comes from Southwark, South London); £50,000: No 1ET 881395 (Cheshire); £25,000: No 9YS 865929 (Suffolk).

Auctions today

Christie's, South Kensington:
Silver, 2; oriental ceramics, 2;
watercolours and drawings, 2.
Phillips, Blenheim Street: furniture, carpets, objects, 11; modern British paintings, drawings, sculpture, 2; charity sale of twentieth-century art with the Ellingham Mill Art Society, 5.
Sotheby's, Bond Street: atlasses, maps and books, 11.

Anniversaries today

Kari Philipp Emanuel Bach was born at Weimar, 1714 and Kenneth Grahame in Edinburgh, 1859. William III died in London (suc-ceeded by Queen Anne), 1702; Hector Berlioz died in Paris, 1869.

The Times list of best-selling books

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Michael Baigent et al	Cape	- £8.95
George Clare	Macmillan	28.95
Richard Blnns	Chiltern House	23.95
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The Times test is based on trade sales through Hammich's to 400 bookshop and verilied retail sales through eight Hammich's bookshops and 20 others.

Roads

Midlands : M6 : Two-way traffic

on, one carriage way between junctions 1 (Rugby) and 2 (Coventry); M5: Two-way traffic flow on one carriageway between junctions. 7 (Worcester) and 8 (M50).

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London and the South-east:
M10 northbound closed from 8
pm to 6 am, no exit from M1
northbound at junction 8 (Hemel
Hempstead); West London:
A4020: Uxbridge Road at Windmill Lane (fron Bridge) estbound,
only one lane open; East London
A13: New Road and Ripple Road,
Dagenham, resurfacing after 9.30
am, westbound, only one lane
open the AA reports.

The Militant Tendency vision of tomorrow's Britain is presented by Pat Wall, Labour's prospective candidate for Bradford North, And a terrilying vision it turns out to be, the Daily Mirror says. The Royal Family and the House of Lord's will be abolished, along with generals, admirals, air marshals, police chiefs, top civil servants, judges and "people of that character". To him parliamentary democracy is "a minor issue" Does the local party committee really believe that is what is wanted by the voters of Bradford?

How many more muggings are

How many more muggings are required before the Home Secretary wakes up to his responsibility to ensure that law

responsionly to ensure that law and order are preserved in the country's cides? che Daily Express asks. In the London area the number has jumped from 38 a day in 1980 to over 50 last year. There is no point in pretending it has not become a racial crime in many areas.

in many areas.

An editorial in the New York Times observes after months of well-publicized indecision. President Reagan has resolved to stop "American oil trade with Libya." The boycott will hardly be felt by Americans, but by the same token, the damage to Libya's economy should also be modest ", and questions the largely sym-

Parliament today

The papers

Nature notes

House sparrows are singing House sparrows are singing everywhere though scarcely noticeable except as a gurgled string of ordinary chirps. Tree sparrows are still in their winter flocks on farmland, and few have yet returned to the orchard trees and pollard willows in whose holes they will nest. Goldcrests break into song like a wheel softly spinning, in the depths of yews and fir trees. They have become much more common in Britain having invaded the new conifer plantations. Firecrests have established themselves as regular hished themselves as regular breeding birds in southern Eng-land in recent years, particularly favouring Buckinghamshire.

favouring Buckinghamshire.

Aspen trees are thick and woolly with catkins, the male ones a rich red, the female long, and green. The yellow-green flowers of dog's mercury are abundant on woodland floors: it is one of the only flowers ever to be seen in the barren brown spaces under beech trees. By riversides, the pink clusters of butterbur are coming out, though their leaves, which will grow up to a yard wide, have hardly begun to appear. On rubbish tips tough old stems of scentless mayweed which survived the winter are putting survived the winter are putting out white blooms. D J M

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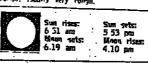
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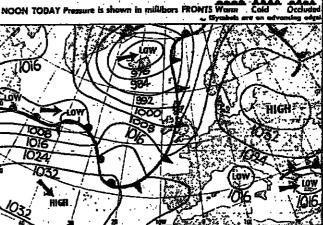
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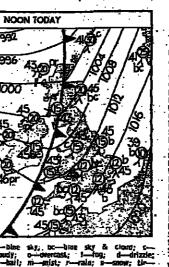
Highest and lowest Highest day temp: Comborne, Column Bay: 11C (52F). Lowest day man: Lerwick, Falr isle, Bishrook, Cape Wrath: 6C (43F). Highest rainfall: Pengauer, 1.61in. Highest spending: Folkestone, 8.6kr.

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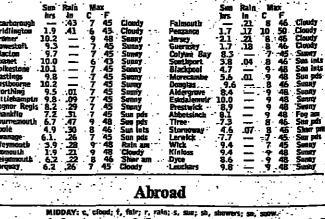
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Around Britain





prise; Bill. Canada bill, third reading. Lords (2.30): Travel Conces-sions (London) Bill, second read-ing. Deer (Amendment) (Scor-land) Bill, committee.

High tides

Tide measurement in metres: 1st=3.2006ft.

FA Cup draw